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ENJOYED THE TRIP.

An Up-River Man Describes a Trip to Our Great County Fair.

A writer in the Wilkesbarre *Record* describing his trip from Wyoming to our fair, has the following to say:

"At Bloomsburg Mrs. L. and the writer walked through some of the pleasant streets and saw the school building on the hill, and viewed the fine churches and residences and hotels and stores and factories, and were convinced that Bloomsburg is a handsome town, pleasantly located.

Following the crowd we came to the fair ground, and secretary A. N. Yost kindly presented us with the freedom of the place. We found there say 15,000 busy, happy people, visiting, eating, drinking, viewing the exhibits, etc. The display of farm stock, horses, cattle, sheep, swine and fowls was large and creditable. The needlework, the baking, the cooking, spicing and canning were fine and elaborate.

The Presbyterian church of Bloomsburg and the Lutheran church of Rupert had boarding houses where good meals were served. Between the races trained dogs, donkeys and contortionists amused the people. I saw no drunkenness or disorder to speak of, and the railroads handled the great crowds with safety and rapidity.

Of course thousands of people came there in hacks, carryalls, wagons, carriages and carts, all way from a mile or two to twenty five miles around. I think I saw about two thousand rigs that had brought people there. I saw a good many people there, some of whom I can still recall. Let me think; shall I tell where they reside? It would take too much space but they were generally well known people and all taking in the sights at the great show.

An Aged Veteran Gone.

Henry Barnd, an aged veteran and respected citizen, died at his home in Catawissa, on Wednesday of last week, aged about 63 years old.

Deceased was a native of the Roaringcreek Valley and was a blacksmith by trade. At one time he was engaged in the hotel business in Philadelphia, he being last actively engaged several years ago as clerk at the Catawissa Hotel. He was twice married, his second wife surviving. Three sons and a daughter survive his first marriage, one son residing at Luzerne, one practicing medicine at Mud Run, the other a soldier in the Philippines.

He was a veteran of the civil war, enlisting first in the three months service in Co. E. 6th Pa. Inft., and upon the expiration of his term re-inlisted in the 5th Pa. Cav., Co. C, in which he served from 1862 until his discharge in 1865. He was a member of Joe Hooker Post, 149, G. A. R, of Ashland.

Mrs. Catherine Ringrose.

Mrs. Catherine Ringrose was summoned to her long home, Saturday morning last. The deceased, several years ago resided in Bloomsburg and occupied a suite of rooms in the Correll building, on Main Street, but owing to old age and infirmity she gave up housekeeping and decided to live the residue of her life with her children. Mrs. Ringrose was eighty-two years of age. She was a christian lady and during her long life was always foremost in all work that was likely to result to the good of religion.

The following children survive: Mrs. Delilah Sterner, W. R. Ringrose Bloomsburg; Miss Mary Ringrose, Mrs. Sarah Stackhouse, Berwick; Ellis Ringrose, Espy; Elisha Ringrose Fowlersville; and J. W. Ringrose, Philadelphia.

The funeral occurred on Monday afternoon with interment in Berwick cemetery.

Damaged by Fire.

Fire broke out at the home of Perry Evans, located in that part of the town known as Port Noble, at about two o'clock Friday morning and before it could be extinguished ruined the household goods consisting of furniture, carpets, etc., and badly damaged the building.

The alarm was sent in from box 21, in plenty of time, so it is claimed, to have gotten the fire companies out before much damage was done, but the alarm system was unequal to the emergency and as a result the destructive element gained a great headway before a sufficient number to combat successfully with the flames reached the scene. Counting firemen and all others who witnessed the conflagration the number would not have reached over fifty.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Rev. J. D. Smith will address the Men's Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Hall next Sunday afternoon. A cordial invitation is extended to both young and old men to be present. These meetings are interesting and profitable. With the faithful assistance of the male choir the singing is an inspiring feature of the service. No one should miss the treat in store for next Sunday at 2:30.

Carpenters are now at work on the Neal residence and in a short time will have our new Y. M. C. A. Home in excellent working order.

The Ladies' Auxiliary are meeting with good success in their work preparatory to the Fair and Bazaar which they are to conduct in the new Y. M. C. A. Home, Nov. 20 to 25. The people are responding generously and the ladies are encouraged to look for this event to be a great success. Let everybody lend a hand to help it along. Those who cannot do much do what you can. Those who can do largely should endeavor to measure up to their ability and thus enable this well begun work to measure up to the greatest expectations.

Don't forget that on the 23rd of November the famous Rock Band will be in Bloomsburg. Particulars will be published later.

Statistical report of the General Secretary from March 1st to Sept. 30th, 1899 is as follows:

9 Sessions of Bible Class held. Total attendance 58, average 6.

14 Young Men's Gospel Meetings held. Total attendance 907, average 64.

14 Mixed Gospel Meetings held. Total attendance 3215, average 229.

25 Shop meetings. Total attendance 750, average 30.

23 Boy's Brigade Drills in rooms. Total attendance 830, average 36.

1 Boys Reception. Total attendance 85.

12 Committee meetings. Total attendance 39, average 3.

10,030 Visits to rooms (week days) daily average of 55.

4500 Inxitations to Gospel meetings distributed.

270 Letters and postals sent out.

724 calls made by the General Secretary on Association work.

1323 pieces of reading matter placed on file as follows: 161 Monthlies, 616 Weeklies and 546 Dailies.

Note—The above report dates from the time the present Secretary came on the field.

TREASURERS REPORT.

Annual statement of J. L. Wolverton, Treasurer, in account with Y. M. C. A., Bloomsburg, Pa., from November 1st, 1898 to Sept. 30, 1899.

Dr.

To cash from O. W. Cherington, Treasurer	$ 84 81
To cash from Limited membership dues	103 00
To cash from Full membership dues and Subscriptions	904 92
To cash from Ladies Auxiliary	150 00
To cash from Loan from Miss Mary Bell	100 00
To cash from Loan from First National Bank	300 00
To cash from Animotiscope Entertainment	53 59
To cash from Male Choir Concert	55 30
To cash from Collections at Sunday afternoon meetings	5 75
	$1,757 27

Cr.

By cash paid C. E. Kesty balance due on salary for 1897 and salary for 1898 and January 1899	$671 50
By cash paid Robert More, due for service rendered 1896 and February 1899	34 00
By cash paid F. D. Dentler rent to January 1899	245 50
By cash paid for light and heat, bills of 1896, '97, '98 and a portion of 1899	82 88
By cash paid for periodicals for reading room (two years)	82 54
By cash paid for office supplies	7 20
By cash paid for printing	6 75
By cash paid Miss Mary Bell, note	100 00
By cash paid First National Bank on note	100 00
By cash paid D. R. Coffman for rent of Opera House	25 00
By cash paid W. R. Kocher, bill of 1897 for singing books	19 90
By cash paid interest on loans	13 49
By cash paid Creasy & Wells for lumber (old bill)	10 75
By cash paid C. D. Lynn, bill for incidentals	8 01
By cash paid C. D. Lynn, salary	250 00
By cash paid Ralph Smith, service at rooms	5 00
By cash paid Robert Moore	10 00
By cash paid expenses of speaker at Mens Meeting	2 00
By cash paid S. F. Peacock, bill for sundries	2 17
By cash paid John Wolf, board bill for delegates	1 50
By cash in bank subject to check	79 08
	$1,757 27

Report of the Treasurer of the Ladies Auxiliary.

Dr.

To cash from supper, membership dues and contributions	215 50

Cr.

By cash paid board of directors of Y. M. C. A.	150 00
By cash paid for Janitor service at Y. M. C. A. rooms from March 1st to September 30, 1899	63 50
By cash on hand subject to order	2 00
	$ 215 50

FANNIE PEACOCK, Treas.

The following committees have been appointed to serve during the present year ending Sept. 30th, 1900:

1. Executive Committee—A. N. Yost, Chas. H. Campbell, J. L. Wolverton, O. W. Cherington.

2. Finance Committee—W. I. White, Thos. E. Hyde, Charles H. Campbell, A. N. Yost, J. L. Wolverton.

3. Membership Committee—Dr. A. Graydon, John W. Lewis, C. W. Mosteller, Frank P. Eyer.

4. Devotional Committee—C. W. Mosteller, Chas. K. Taylor, Thos. E. Hyde, J. I. Harner.

5. Educational and Lecture Committee—F. N. Turner, H. V. White, Dr. M. J. Hess.

6. Rooms and Library Committee—Dr. H. W. Champlin, Prof. I. P. Sterner, Prof. W. H. Detwiler.

7. Reception Committee—H. W. Bittenbender, Horace H. Kramer, W. C. Mosteller, Lynn S. Whitmoyer, E. H. Ent, Ralph Smoyer, A. C. Kressler, S. C. Reynolds, Chas. O. Skeer, Ralph Smith, Harry Barton, John Traub, Theron M. Eves.

8. Junior Work Committee—F. N. Turner, W. I. Ritter, Ralph Smith.

9. Music Committee—O. H. Yetter F. B. Hartman, E. H. Ent.

Building Committee—W. I. White W. R. Kocher, O. W. Cherington.

REV. A. J. McCANN.

Rev. Father A. J. McCann, pastor of St. Columba's Roman Catholic church, has been appointed pastor of the Roman Catholic church at Locust Gap, by the Bishop of the diocese, and left for his new charge this morning. He has many friends here who are sorry to have him leave, and we believe that if Father McCann could have had his own way, he would prefer to remain in Bloomsburg. This was his first parish. He came here more than thirteen years ago, just after his ordination. Many improvements have been made in the church property during his pastorate and he has added much in the decoration of the sanctuary, and has made a collection of many handsome vestments. Father McCann, by his gentlemanly and unostentatious manner, has enjoyed the respect and confidence of the community, Protestant and Catholic alike, and the esteem in which he is held was evidenced by the presentation to him of a handsome purse on his departure, the contributions being made by business men regardless of creed. We wish him success in his enlarged field of labor. His place here will be hard to fill.

Old Maids Convention and Its Results.

The capacity of the Opera House was taxed to its utmost on Thursday evening of last week to witness the presentation of the laugh provoking entertainment, "The Old Maids Convention and Its Results," given by home talent under the direction of Miss Anna Dunkel, for the benefit of Mr. S. C. Creasy's Sunday School Class.

The entertainment was a big success and netted the class, after all the expenses were paid, a neat sum. Mr. Creasy's Class, so we understand, pledged $100 to the church fund and this money will be devoted to paying off that obligation.

It was one continual round of laughter from the calling of the roll, which was the first in order after the convention convened, until "Prof. Makeover," Paul Eyerly, and his able assistants, Ed. H. Ent and Robert D. Young appeared and its results were attained.

The quaint costumes worn were thoroughly in keeping with the style of long ago and added materially to the evening's pleasure. Probably the most applause winning feature was the reading of a paper entitled the "The Market Report." Every person connected with the affair performed their parts in an able manner which speaks well for Miss Dunkel, who not only personally conducted all the rehearsals but also transacted all the business pertaining to the entertainment.

The vocal solo "Star of the Desert" by R. Franklin Colley, and the selections by the male quartet composed of Messrs. Ent, Yetter, Linn and Colley, were excellent and the last features of the program, the two tableaux in which 100 school children participated, were most beautiful.

Satisfactory Moving Pictures.

At this late day of modern entertainments moving pictures, unless presented in a new and novel manner, together with all the realistic sounds, are far from satisfactory. The Lyman D. Howe Moving Picture Co., that appears here in the Opera House on the evening of Friday, October 27th, will reproduce the very latest product in the line of moving pictures. They will all be life-size and the collection was obtained from different quarters of the globe. Howe is the pioneer of this class of amusement, and his name in connection therewith is a sure guarantee of its excellence.

The Columbian PUZZLES.

G. EDWARD ELWELL, Manager.
D. J. TASKER, Asst. Manager.

CONDITIONS.

The conditions upon which the prizes are awarded for answers to the puzzles are these:

1st. The first prize will be awarded to the answer bearing the earliest postmark as shown by the stamp at the Bloomsburg post office, and the second prize to the correct answer next received at this office.

2nd. No prizes will be awarded unless correct answers are received.

3rd. Only subscribers to the "COLUMBIAN" or a member of their family can compete, and each answer must be accompanied by the following coupon. Cut it out and write your name and address on it plainly.

COLUMBIAN PUZZLE COUPON.

NAME

ADDRESS

We received an unusaally large number of answers last week but only one was correct; that of Miss Margaret Laubach, which took first prize. As there were no other correct ones, the second prize was not awarded.

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We will give another variety this week, and all of them are easy. The prizes will be, first, a beautiful steel engraving, size 29x40 inches, entitled "April Showers," and second, an etching by a celebrated artist.

I.

WORD SQUARE.

1. Real estate.
2. A tropical plant.
3. Twelve o'clock.
4. Caves.

II.

1. A tree.
2. A trap.
3. Steps.
4. Upright.
5. Made by birds.

III.

POSITIVES AND COMPARATIVES.

1. A body of water; to meditate.
2. An animal sac; a female relative.
3. A pain; a portion of land.
4. Very cold water; an unpleasant noise
5. The whole amount; part of the year
6. An explosive; a reckless forager.

IV.

CHARADE.

My first is an animal rodent,
Its color slate or gray;
My pussy cat would be content,
With one for lunch today.

The farmer leaves the field behind,
His home and rest to seek;
His brow is white, but you may find,
My second on his cheek.

The naughty schoolboy dreads my whole,
The dandy swings it through the street;
'Tis found in baskets, mats and chairs,
And makes a cool and easy seat.

V.

WORD SQUARE.

1. A kind of tree.
2. A kind of bird.
3. Fragments.
4. To place.
5. Part of an arch.
6. To seek again.

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All answers must be sent in on or before Monday, Oct. 30th.

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Address all communications to
MANAGER PUZZLE DEPT.
THE COLUMBIAN,
Bloomsburg, Pa.

Answers To Last Week's Puzzles.

1. May, Man, Charles, Henry, Rhone, Black, Don, Duck, Clear, Dead, Buffaloe, Greene, Keene, Chili, Race, Sicily, Woods, Pines, Liberty, Brest, Fury, Fear, Wrath, Lookout, Ham, Wolf, Racket, Bear, Moose, Beaver, Fox, Deer, Sable, Plover, Pigeon, Friendly, Cooks, Baker, Turkey, Sandwich, Cork, Bourbor, Rye, Orange, Buffaloe, Worms.

The Moutour *Democrat* says: "President Judge Little is a hustler. We are glad to say there is no temporizing or dallying in his court and cases are disposed of and gotten off the docket, one lingering case being non suited. Judge Little is all right and all there and his decisions show good common sense and legal acumen.

For Sale.

A good double cylinder 2½ horse power engine. Inquire at this office. 10-26 tf.

VARIETY!

You get full value for your money when you buy the **Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes.**

They are "ready to wear" clothes with all the advantages of the fine merchant tailoring, and none of its drawbacks.

You get the style, the service, the good fit and the good looks, without the high price.

We have the H. S. & M. Suits and Overcoats in all sizes, in many styles, at various prices.

Wherever this Paper Goes

Please receive it as a personal call, bearing a most cordial invitation to visit our store, to see the large stock of

Fall and Winter Clothing,

which must necessarily be good to be comfortable.

You can go poorly clad in Summer, but about this time of the year you want to be thinking of the best there is in comfortable clothing, both cheap and good. Some clothing is made to sell, some to wear, some clothing is made for both. That's our kind.

☞ Give us a trial.

Ben Gidding,

White Front, Bloomsburg, Pa.
G. A. R. Building.

The Leader Department Store.

Furniture Repairing & Upholstering.

We have re-opened our repair department, under experienced management, and are prepared to do all kinds of repair and upholstering work at short notice. Goods called for and delivered.

Red Flannel Underwear.

We are closing out a line of these goods at 25c. They are honestly all wool and we have sold a great many of them at $1, but to get rid of the balance we cut the price ¼.

Ladies' Waists.

We have a new line of these goods, in flannel and mercerized cotton, neat fitting and tasty in appearance. A good one for 50c., the best for $2.00.

Ladies' Suits and Jackets.

Look at our $8.00 Suits. We have them up to $18.00. These are silk lined throughout.

Carpets! Carpets!

We are cleaning up a lot of remnants and slow sellers. If we have enough to cover your room we can give you a decided bargain. All carpets will be higher in price for spring, but with us, you'll always find us lower in price, and with a larger assortment, than anywhere in the town.

We have one or two rolls, suitable for chamber carpets. The price has been right along 30c. To close out the dropped patterns we make the price 20c. We have also a few rolls which we sold for 45c. We'll make the price 25c. to close. Kindly bear in mind that no one can sell you so cheaply as we. You are dealing with first hands.

FREE.—We have a lot of carpets, suitable for buggies. Come and buy $1.00 worth of anything and put a fresh carpet in your carriage.

Galvanized Buckets.

We have eight dozen heavy buckets to sell. Extra well made for a special purpose. We intended ordering eight, but by mistake the eight dozen were shipped, and so we want to sell them quickly. They would be good value anywhere at 50c. Give us 65c. for two of them and we'll let them go.

The Leader Store Co., Ltd.

Fourth and Market Streets.

A BRITISH RETREAT.

General Yule Abandons Dundee and Glencoe.

BOERS GREATLY OUTNUMBER ENGLISH

London's Worst Fears Are Realized. It Is Believed the Government Is Withholding News—Cape Town Advices More Favorable.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The following dispatch from General Sir George Stewart White, dated Ladysmith, Oct. 24, to the Marquis of Lansdowne, secretary of state for war, received last evening at 11 o'clock, was posted at the war office soon after midnight:

"Information received yesterday showed that the Boers had established themselves in considerable numbers in an exceedingly strong position west of the main road leading from Ladysmith to Dundee.

"I also had information that the Dundee force, formerly commanded by General Symons and since his wound commanded by General Yule, was falling back on Ladysmith by way of the Helpmakaar road, Beith and the valleys of the Waschbank and Sunday rivers and was expected to reach Sunday River valley today.

"I therefore moved out with a strong force to cover the movement of Yule's column. The enemy was discovered about seven miles out of Ladysmith in a position of exceptional natural strength, west of the road. When he saw that preparations were being made against him, he opened fire with one gun with great accuracy.

"Our artillery soon got into position, and the gun was silenced. Our troops were ordered to occupy a strong ridge parallel to the enemy's position, but nearer to the road.

"I confined my efforts to occupying him and hitting him hard enough to prevent his taking action against Yule's column. Numbers of the enemy fled to the west, and the firing had practically ceased at 2 o'clock."

The war office dispatch seems to realize the worst fears. General Yule has abandoned not only Dundee, but Glencoe also, and, so far as present news would indicate, he has neither joined General White nor reached Ladysmith. General White's "successful action," announced in parliament by Mr. Wyndham, seems to resolve itself into a mere engaging of the attention of the Free State troops while General Yule is slipping southward.

It is evident from the official dispatches that both Commandant General Joubert's column on the north and the Orange Free State troops on the west now occupy strong positions and that nothing hinders the Boers from following up General Yule's retirement and getting around Ladysmith from the southeast. Until re-enforcements arrive it seems that General White is obliged to concentrate on Ladysmith.

It is believed that the government has other dispatches that have not yet been published.

The Cape Town correspondent of The Daily Mail, telegraphing at 9:45 p. m. yesterday, says:

"General Yule has performed a brilliant strategical movement. By a swift march to the south, leaving Glencoe empty, he has effected a junction of his forces with those of Sir George Stewart White slightly to the north of Ladysmith.

"The two are now in a position to offer battle. I believe the first attack will be made on the large Free State force which entered Natal by way of Tintwa pass and which has since been harassing Ladysmith. The military authorities decided that by joining their forces the two generals would be better able to cope with one large force at a time than by having two small detachments to oppose simultaneously two big Boer forces.

"Accordingly, after defeating the Free State troops, they will offer battle to Commandant General Joubert. Only 40 miles now separate the two Boer forces. Hence the need for swift and telling action.

"The two sections of the Boer army together outnumber the entire British force by three to one. Hard fighting is certain at a very early date. Our men are confident, and there is much enthusiasm.

The Daily Mail publishes the following description of the battle of Elandslaagte from its special war correspondent, Mr. G. W. Steevens, filed at Ladysmith:

"The battle was a brilliant, complete success. The Boers numbered from 1,200 to 2,000 and probably had about 100 killed and 150 wounded.

"The fight itself was like a practical illustration of handbook tactics, each arm represented doing its proper work to perfection. The Gordon Highlanders in their attack advanced in magnificent order. They were immediately saluted with a heavy fire, which told from the first.

"Their major fell with a bullet in his leg, but as he lay where he fell he lit a pipe and smoked placidly while the advance continued. As man after man dropped supports were rushed into the firing line, our men darting from cover to cover, splendidly led and ever advancing.

"Yet as ridge after ridge was won the Highlanders still found a new ridge confronting them, and thus they fought their bleeding way until the final ridge was neared, with nearly every officer down.

"Then, slamming every available man into the firing line, Manchesters, Devons and Light Horse all mixed, with bugles chanting the advance, bagpipes shrieking and the battle a confused surge, our men swept forward, and the position was won.

"Meanwhile squadrons of lancers and dragoons lapped round the Boer left flank, catching the enemy as they retired in disorder, goring and stamping them to pieces. And the commando was not."

THE FIGHT AT GLENCOE.

Boers Reported Beaten Back With Heavy Loss.

GLENCOE CAMP, Oct. 21.—The battle yesterday was a brilliant success. The Boers got a reverse which may possibly, for a time at any rate, check all aggressive action.

The British artillery practice in the early part of the day decided the battle. The seizure of Dundee hill by the Boers was a surprise, for, although the pickets had been exchanging shots all night, it was not until a shell boomed over the town into the camp that their presence was discovered. Then the shells came fast. The hill was positively alive with the swarming Boers. Still the British artillery got to work with magnificen energy and precision.

The batteries from the camp took up positions to the south of the town and after a quarter hour's magnificent firing silenced the guns on the hills.

Directly the Boer guns ceased firing General Symons ordered the infantry to move on the position. The infantry charge was magnificent. The way the King's Royal rifles and the Dublin fusileers stormed the position was one of the most splendid sights ever seen. The firing of the Boers was not so deadly as might have been expected from the troops occupying such an excellent position, but the infantry lost heavily going up the hill, and only the consummately brilliant way in which General Symons had trained them to fighting of the kind saved them from being swept away.

General Symons was wounded early in the action, and the command then devolved on Major Yule.

Wood Pulp Mills Lack Water.

BOSTON, Oct. 24.—The Transcript says: "A lack of wood pulp is bringing about a shortage of paper and is causing users no little inconvenience. The principal cause of the trouble seems to be a lack of water along the rivers which furnish the power. Wherever steam plants are available they are being operated, and in this way some of the mills are turning out their normal product, but a representative of the International Paper company, which has nearly 30 mills in New England, says that the company has been obliged to shut down many of them on account of an insufficient supply of water. As a result of the shortage higher prices threaten."

Ten Thousand For Parnell Fund.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Irishmen were of one mind in doing honor to the memory of Charles Stewart Parnell in the Academy of Music last night. Sentiment revealed itself in a practical way. There was pledged or given to the lord mayor of Dublin, Mr. Daniel Fallon, and John Edward Redmond, M. P., at least $10,000 toward the $20,000 needed to redeem the Parnell homestead from sheriff's sale and the surviving family of the Irish leader from eviction. It was impossible last night to count the money handed to the ushers.

Oklahoma Seeks Statehood.

OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., Oct. 25.—Hon. Sidney Clarke, chairman of the statehood committee, has issued a call for a meeting in Oklahoma City Nov. 17 of the Oklahoma statehood executive committee "for the purpose of taking such action as may be deemed best to secure the passage of an enabling act by congress providing for the admission of Oklahoma into the Union as a state."

General Andrade Deposed.

CARACAS, Venezuela, Oct. 21.—The crisis is virtually over. General Andrade, the president, has accepted the conditions proposed by the insurgent commander, General Cipriano Castro, and will go abroad, the presidency devolving upon the vice president. General Castro will enter Caracas peacefully, thus avoiding bloodshed and a dictatorship. General Andrade fled without transferring power.

Free Delivery Service.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—A very gratifying showing for the free delivery service is made in the annual report of the operations of that bureau. There were 50 offices added to the free delivery list, making a total of 738. The 14,256 carriers now on the rolls is an increase of 4 per cent over the preceding year. The gross receipts were $68,957,816, an increase of almost 22 per cent.

Robbed In London.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Late yesterday afternoon it was announced that a sensational burglary had taken place at the Savoy hotel, London, where the room of Mrs. Stockwell of New York, widow of a New York jeweler, was entered and robbed, it is understood, of jewelry valued at $50,000 and bank notes and other negotiable currency to the amount of $25,000.

Funston Will Return.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—Brigadier General Funston has wired the war department his acceptance of the appointment of brigadier general in the newly formed volunteer service. General Funston will return to Kansas with the Kansas volunteers, who will be mustered out Oct. 28. He will then report at Washington for duty in the Philippines.

Star Pointer to Race No More.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 24.—The famous stallion Star Pointer has been taken off the track by his owner, W. J. White. The great pacer's leg will never again be in condition for racing. His trainer, D. J. McClary, has been released, and Pointer has been put into the stud at Mr. White's Two Minute Villa farm.

Milk Producers' Union.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Oct. 21.—The Ontario and Western Route association of the Five States Milk Producers' union reports that all the union milk has been sold during five years at an average of 2½ cents per quart. The contract is subject to the ratification of the milk producers to take effect Nov. 1.

Suicide No Bar.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 23.—The United States court of appeals has decided that suicide cannot be urged by an insurance company as its reason for refusing to pay a policy unless it can be shown that the person at the time of taking out the policy contemplated suicide.

A Carnegie Library For Duluth.

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 24.—Through the efforts of The Evening Herald Andrew Carnegie has offered to donate $50,000 to the city of Duluth to erect a building for a free public library, conditioned upon a satisfactory site being provided by the city.

Lead and Zinc Combine.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 24.—A combination known as the National Lead, Zinc and Spelter company, with a capitalization of $10,000,000 and with a surplus of $500,000, has been formed to control and work large interests in the Joplin-Galena district.

Only Forty-two Wives.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Forty-two wives scattered throughout the world, four of whom are in Chicago, was the confession made yesterday by Walter L. Farnsworth, a Chicago candy commission man, who was arrested, charged with bigamy.

Colombia Revolution Grows.

COLON, Colombia, Oct. 23.—The revolution has extended from Cundinamorca to Lima. The Colombian gunboat Boyaca is about to leave for Cauca, where an army of 10,000 men is being assembled by the government.

THE ISTHMIAN CANAL

The Two Routes Discussed In Commercial Congress.

THE UNITED STATES MUST BUILD.

A Route Which Will Bring the Two Coasts of This Nation Nearer by Ten Thousand Miles a Necessity.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 25.—At the morning meeting of the commercial congress yesterday H. A. Gudger, United States consul at Panama, spoke in favor of the route contemplated by that canal and said that for more than half a century it had been the conceded natural way, resulting in failure after the expenditure of many millions and the many scandals connected with it. He favored the completion of the same route on the ground that it is the natural course, that one-third of it is already completed and a new company composed of men of probity has taken the place of the old company and its scandals. In conclusion he said:

"After a careful survey of the field, I believe that the time is ripe for the purchase by the United States of the control of this canal. The terms of the concessions which we may obtain are liberal, and it is my opinion that the republic of Colombia would hail with pleasure the ownership of this route by the United States."

H. Sell of London read a paper on "The New Trade Routes of the World." He favored the construction of the Panama canal. J. W. Humphries of Colon also spoke in its favor. A paper prepared by Enrique Wulff, consul general of Bolivia, made a similar recommendation.

The congress then took a recess.

At the afternoon session the Nicaragua canal was the subject of a paper read by Dr. Juan J. Ulloa, consul general of Costa Rica at New York and a former vice president of Costa Rica. Dr. Ulloa said in part:

"The trip of the Oregon during the recent war was an object lesson which conclusively demonstrated the commercial and political necessities of the canal, which will make a difference of 10,000 miles in the approximation by sea of the two coasts of the United States and which will also bring very much nearer the new American possessions of Hawaii, the Philippines and the Ladrones.

"The canal must be dug by the government of the United States in preference to private enterprise because it will better serve commerce and the general public thus. One hundred and twenty-five million dollars taken by yearly installments will not make Uncle Sam feel much poorer and will undoubtedly be his most profitable investment, because he will succeed in cutting down greatly the transportation and freight rates and will open to his countrymen the best markets of Central and South America and the east. The practicability of the Nicaragua canal is beyond question, and the authorities agree with but few exceptions in preferring this route because of the many natural advantages.

"From the report of Rear Admiral Walker's canal commission, as well as that of Colonel Ludlow, it will be seen that the entire cost of the canal will be under $135,000,000, which is a small sum when we consider the results which will be obtained."

Mr. Rotherham, a delegate from Melbourne, said anything which would hasten the transit of goods from one country to the other would confer blessings upon both the producer and the consumer. Uncle Sam is getting along a little late as a land grabber compared with the activity of his progenitor. But he is just now beginning to catch up, and he should hurry up in the question of connecting his new acquisitions in the east with his states in the west.

Pennsylvania Forest Fires.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Oct. 25.—It has been five weeks since rain has fallen in this section, and the forests of Centre county are being swept by fire. Fire has started on the Alleghany mountains, and the flames have spread over thousands of acres of land, destroying many thousands of dollars' worth of the best quality of timber. The mountain east of Snowshoe is a seething mass of flames. Hunting camps have been abandoned, and woodsmen on lumber jobs have dropped their work and turned to saving the sawmills from destruction. In different parts of the country people are fighting hard to keep the flames from reaching their homes.

Rockefeller's Gift to Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 25.—The agent of John D. Rockefeller in this city announces the gift by Mr. Rockefeller to the park board of $225,000 to construct arches and roadways under the Lake Shore railway for the purpose of connecting Gordon park with Rockefeller park, which he gave the city, and for roadways and arches under Superior street to connect two sections of Rockefeller park.

The Dahlgren a Good Boat.

BATH, Me., Oct. 25.—By obtaining a speed of 31 knots an hour during several hours' trial at sea yesterday the new torpedo boat Dahlgren exceeded her contract requirements and proved herself a very able boat. At the same time she made better time over a mile course than has ever been reached by a torpedo boat of her size in the world. The trial was made under very favorable conditions.

Roosevelt In Maryland.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 25.—Governor Roosevelt of New York, who is to make a score of speeches in Maryland within the next 48 hours, arrived here last night over the Baltimore and Ohio railroad and was met by United States Senator McComas, District Attorney John C. Rose, Attorney General George R. Gaither and Chairman Thomas Shryrock of the Republican state committee.

Disappeared After Buying.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Scores of farmers of Orange county are puzzled over the conduct of a stranger who several weeks ago bargained for thousands of barrels of apples. He advanced $5 on each purchase and never reappeared.

Large Bessemer Contract.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 24.—The Bessemer association met yesterday and contracted to deliver 60,000 tons of Bessemer ore during the first quarter of next year. The price is said to be $24 per ton, and the ore is believed to be for Ohio consumers.

Wants $3000 for a Tooth.

Dentists throughout the country will be interested in an action which has been started in Philadelphia. The action is the filing of a claim in a court of Philadelphia by Malcolm D. Reybold against Samuel Kimmel, a dentist, asking for $3000 damages arising under the following circumstances: On July 14, Reybold visited the defendant's office for the purpose of having two back teeth extracted. He says he pointed out to Kimmel the exact teeth which he desired pulled. He took gas and prepared for the operation. When he regained consciousness, Reybold declares, he discovered that the dentist had pulled the wrong teeth, whereupon he notified the doctor of the mistake. The plaintiff alleges that the dentist attempted to replace the teeth, which caused the plaintiff much pain and suffering and a severe injury to his jaw.

Big Deal in Coal Lands.

A syndicate of Bellefonte capitalists, together with a small interest by several eastern men, has closed a deal for the purchase of $125,000 acres of lands in Indiana and Armstrong counties. The price to be paid is considerably more than a million dollars. The tract includes the entire territory known as the Plum Creek basin, embracing almost the whole of five townships. It is heavily timbered, almost entirely underlaid with a six foot vein of coal, has natural gas and good indications of oil. To develop will necessitate the building of nearly fifty miles of new railroad from the town of Indiana. The purchasers will begin extensive operations soon.

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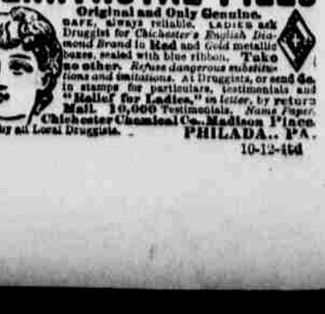

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WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, Oct. 23, 1899.

McKinley found, when he returned from his stumping trip of 5,000 miles, more indignation among government employees than has existed since the Garfield campaign, when Jay Hubbel and Dorsey, of Star route notoriety, held up the Federal employees and forced campaign contributions under threat of dismissal. The reason is a circular letter sent out by Boss Hanna's Ohio Committee, asking Federal officials to chip in to keep McLean from carrying Ohio. The Civil Service Commissioners, who draw their salaries at the pleasure of the man whose re-nomination for President depends largely upon Ohio going Republican, had not a word to say about the circular letters received by employees of every department in Washington, but they made a bluff at doing something by going to the Post Office Deparment and requesting that the order of the department, issued about a year ago, prohibiting political assessment of postal employees, be conspiciously posted in all Ohio post-offices, as they had been greatly shocked to learn that the employees of the Toledo Post Office had been asked to contribute to the Republican campaign fund. An order was at once issued complying with the request, and all hands winked at each other and thought "how devilish sly we are." Nobody expects Mr. McKinley to do anything to stop the squeezing of Government employees. He has just come from Ohio and knows how desperate the case is, and how much he has at stake. He knows that there is an organized movement among prominent Republicans to prevent his renomination, and that if his party fails to carry Ohio it will stand an excellent show of succeeding.

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How desperate the Republican situation in Ohio is may be judged by the talk of Republicans. For instance Perry Heath, who owes his present official position to Hanna, and who has just returned from Ohio, has been discounting Republican defeat in the State by saying that the Republicans are so busy handling prosperity that many of them may not have time to vote. He also says that Mr. McLean has the Democrats of the State better organized than they have ever been before. Democratic advices from the State are without exception favorable to the success of McLean.

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Gen. J. R. O'Beirne, who was refused recognition by the State Department as Diplomatic agent of the Transvaal Republic, because of his being an American, was waiting for Mr. McKinley when he returned to Washington, for the purpose of trying to persuade him to set aside the decision of the State Department. Having considerable political pull he succeeded in getting a private interview with Mr. McKinley, but it is not likely that he succeeded in anything else. Mr. McKinley has troubles enough of his own without reaching away over to South Africa for new ones.

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The first of this week Admiral Dewey, who had been in Washington all last week, went to Atlanta, to present Lieut. Brumby the sword bought for him by the appreciative Georgians, and on the 31st inst. he will be the guest of the city of Philadelphia. That will be likely to wind up the big Dewey receptions for the time being, as the Philippine Commission, of which he is a member, is expected to meet in Washington early next month to prepare its report, and he will have to attend the meetings.

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In addition to presenting Rear Admiral Schley with a handsome jeweled sword, the Royal Arcanum, of which Admiral Schley is a member, has presented Mrs. Schley with a beautiful silver loving cup, inscribed, "Presented to Mrs. W. S. Schley by the Royal Arcanum, 1899." The presentation took place at the hotel in which Admiral Dewey is making his home.

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That the negroes will soon cease to vote the Republican ticket seems practically certain. One of them—Rev. Alex. Walters, D. D., of New Jersey—who is now in Washington, expressed some forcible views on the subject. For instance, he said: "My advice to the negroes is to make friends with the ruling classes of the South by voting the Democratic ticket, especially when they are invited to do so. We are doing it in the North. We are surely at the parting of the ways. There is great restlessness on the part of the Afro-American Republicans. A large majority of them in New York State will vote the Democratic ticket at the next election."

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Before Mr. McKinley went on that stumping trip he went out of his way to say that he intended to leave the future of the Philippines to the judgment of Congress; now he says that he intends to tell Congress in his annual message that the Philippines must be ours for keeps. As it is only about six weeks to the opening of Congress, he will probably not have time to change his opinion again, although he has been known to do the trick in less than six hours.

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1871—On October 16 and 18 the schooner Columbia defeated the English schooner Livonia.

On October 21 and 23 the schooner Sapho easily outsailed the English boat.

1876—On August 11 and 12 the schooner Madeline won from the Canadian schooner Countess of Dufferin.

1881—On November 9 and 10 the sloop Mischief won from the Canadian sloop Atlanta.

1885—On September 14 and 16 the sloop Puritan defeated the English cutter Genesta.

1886—On September 9 and 11 the sloop Mayflower won from the English cutter Galatea.

1887—On September 27 and 30 the sloop Volunteer defeated the Brittish cutter Thistle.

1893—On October 7, 9 and 13 the sloop Vigilant won from the English cutter Valkyrię by a narrow margin.

1895—On September 7 the Defender easily outsailed Lord Dunraven's Valkyrie III., winning by 8m. 49s.

On September 20 the Valkyrie III., fouled the Defender shortly before the start. The English yacht defeated the Defender by 47s. Because of the foul the Defender protested and the protest was allowed.

On September 12 the Valkyrie III., withdrew immediately after crossing the line and the Detender sailed over the course alone.

Where No Women Dwell.

Utah claims a town of 350 inhabitants, not one of whom is a woman. Not only are women not allowed as residents, but they are forbidden to enter the town limits. This unique village is called Sunnyside, and is situated in Whitmore Canyon, near Price. It is a coal-mining camp, and is not, as might be supposed, the property of professed woman haters, but of sordid business men. The company which owns the coal mines has not yet secured a perfect title to the lands which form its property. Until the title is secured anyone establishing a home on the land might claim property rights and force the company to buy him out, and it was to prevent any such contingency arising that the company issued the edict against the miners' wives living in or even visiting the place.—Philadelphia *North American*.

The Twentieth Century.

The nineteenth century closes with the year 1900. Therefore, immediately after midnight of December 31st is when the twentieth century begins. In other words, it begins with the first second of the first hour of the first day of January, 1901. The twentieth century will open on a Tuesday and will close on a Sunday. It will have the greatest number of leap years possible for a century—24. The year 1904 will be the first one, then every fourth year after that, to and including the year 2000. February will three times have four Sundays. The twentieth century will contain 36,525 days, which lacks but one day of being exactly 5,218 weeks. The middle day of the century will be January 1st, 1951.

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A Railroader's Prayer.

"O, Lord, now that I have flagged Thee, lift up my feet from the rough road of life and plant them safely on the deck of the train of salvation. Let me use the safety lamp, known as prudence, make all the couplings in the train with the strong line of Thy love, and let my hand lamp be the Bible. And Heavenly Father, keep all switches closed that lead off on sidings, especially those with a blind end. O, Lord, if it be thy pleasure, have every semaphore block along the line show the white light of hope, that I may make the run of life without stopping. And, Lord give us the ten commandments for a schedule: and when I have finished the run on schedule time, pulled into the great dark station of death, may Thou, the superintendent of the universe, say 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant; come and sign the pay roll and receive your check for eternal happiness."

"Reform," According to Dewey.

A keen sense of humor is part of the Admiral's mental compositition. At Hong Kong the favorite rendezvous ontside of the club is the Hong Kong Hotel, a magnificent structure on Queen's Road, which runs through to the *Praya*, or waterfront beyond. Like American Hotels it has stores and offices on the ground floor. One day when the Admiral was calling there he saw in one window a sign, "Just arrived per S. S. *Irrawoddy* a lot of Oxford Bibles," and in the next window an even larger sign, "Just arrived per S. S. *Caledonien* a consignment of extra fine old rum." Dewey glanced at the placards, and then said to his companion: England is doing fine missionary work here nowadays."—*From "New Dewey Anecdotes," in Demorest's Magazine for November.*

Beecher's Retort to Ingersoll.

Beecher and Ingersoll were always great friends. Mr. Beecher had a celestial globe in his study, a present from some manufacturer. On it was an excellent representation of the constellations and stars which compose them. Ingersoll was delighted with the globe. He examined it closely and turned it round and round. "It's just what I wanted," he said; who made it?" "Who made it!" repeated Beecher; "who made this globe? Oh, nobody, Colonel; it just happened!"

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Danville	6 50	2 12	10 21	6 13
Catawissa	7 03	2 26	10 32	6 28
Rupert	7 09	2 31	10 36	6 33
Bloomsburg	7 16	2 36	10 41	6 39
Espy	7 23	2 42	10 46	6 45
Lime Ridge	7 30	2 48	.....	6 52
Briarcreek	7 38	.....	.....	f7 00
Berwick	7 45	3 01	11 04	7 06
Beach Haven	7 53	3 07	....	7 12
Hick's Ferry	8 04	3 18	....	7 25
Shickshinny	8 14	3 24	11 30	7 37
Hunlock's	8 27	3 34	....	7 48
Nanticoke	8 35	3 42	11 45	7 56
Avondale	8 40	3 46	.....	8 01
Plymouth	8 45	3 51	11 52	8 06
Plymouth Junction	8 50	3 55	.....	8 11
Kingston	8 57	4 02	12 10	8 18
Bennett	9 03	4 06	.....	8 21
Forty Fort	9 08	4 10	.....	8 24
Wyoming	9 08	4 16	12 08	8 28
West Pittston	9 12	4 21	.....	8 32
Susquehanna Ave	9 15	4 24	12 14	8 36
Pittston	9 19	4 29	12 17	8 40
Duryea	9 23	4 34	.....	8 44
Lackawanna	9 26	4 37	.....	8 48
Taylor	9 33	4 45	....	8 57
Bellevue	9 38	4 50	....	9 02
SCRANTON	9 42	4 55	12 35	9 07

STATIONS.	WEST. A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
SCRANTON	6 33	10 05	1 55	5 40
Bellevue	6 35	.....	.....	.....
Taylor	6 40	10 15	2 03	5 50
Lackawanna	6 47	10 23	2 10	5 58
Duryea	6 50	10 26	2 13	6 02
Pittston	6 55	10 31	2 17	6 06
Susquehanna Ave	6 59	10 35	2 20	6 10
West Pittston	7 02	10 39	2 24	6 14
Wyoming	7 07	10 44	2 29	6 19
Forty Fort	7 11	.....	.....	.....
Bennett	7 14	10 52	2 36	6 30
Kingston	7 16	10 56	2 42	6 36
Plymouth Junction	7 22	.....	2 47	.....
Plymouth	7 26	11 05	2 52	6 48
Avondale	7 31	.....	2 57	6 47
Nanticoke	7 35	11 13	3 02	6 50
Hunlock's	7 41	11 19	3 10	6 58
Shickshinny	7 51	11 30	3 24	7 10
Hick's Ferry	8 04	f11 43	3 35	f7 25
Beach Haven	8 10	11 48	3 42	7 32
Berwick	8 14	11 54	3 49	7 38
Briarcreek	8 22	.....	f3 55	.....
Lime Ridge	8 30	f12 09	4 04	f7 53
Espy	8 37	12 15	4 11	8 00
Bloomsburg	8 44	12 22	4 17	8 07
Rupert	8 50	12 27	4 23	8 13
Catawissa	9 10	12 32	4 28	8 18
Danville	8 55	12 47	4 42	8 34
Cautasky	.....	.....	f4 49	.....
Cameron	9 20	12 57	4 54	8 46
NORTHUMBERLAND	9 35	1 10	5 08	9 00
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.

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SOUTH. ARRIVE			LEAVE	STATIONS.	NORTH LEAVE			ARRIVE
a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.
7.10	12.05	6.30	2.15	Bloomsburg	8.47	2.40	6.45	6.10
7.08	12.00	6.26	2.10	" P. & P.	8.49	2.42	6.47	
7.03	11.57	6.21	2.08	" Main st.	8.52	2.45	6.50	
6.53	11.47	6.12	1.50	Paper Mill	9.01	2.54	7.01	6.37
6.50	11.43	6.09	1.45	..Light st.	9.05	2.59	7.05	6.50
6.40	11.34	5.59	1.30	Orangeville	9.15	3.10	7.14	7.10
6.29	11.24	5.48	1.00	...Forks...	9.23	3.20	7.24	7.35
6.25	11.19	5.44	12.53	...Zaner's...	9.27	3.24	7.28	7.45
6.18	11.13	5.37	12.45	..Stillwater.	9.33	3.30	7.33	8.00
6.08	11.05	5.27	12.3	...Benton...	9.43	3.40	7.43	8.30
6.04	11.00	5.22	12.10	...Edson's...	9.47	3.44	7.47	8.40
6.02	10.58	5.20	12.05	Cole's Cr'k.	9.50	3.47	7.51	8.46
5.58	10.52	5.13	11.58	..Laubach..	9.58	3.57	8.01	9.00
5.43	10.43	5.03	11.45	...Central...	10.10	4.07	8.11	9.25
5.40	10.40	5.00	11.30	Jam. City..	10.14	4.10	8.15	9.35
pm	a m	p m	p m		a m	p m	p m	a m
LEAVE								ARRIVE

Pennsylvania Railroad.

Time Table in effect May 21, '99

	A.M.		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Scranton(D & H) lv	6 45	7 18	12 18	1 40	
Pittston " "	7 18	10 40	12 40	4 52	
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Wilkesbarre lv	5 30	10 05	12 05	3 00	6 00
Plymouth Ferry "	7 38	11 02	1 03	4 30	6 08
Nanticoke "	7 46	11 10	1 11	3 37	6 18
Mocanaqua "	8 04	11 32	1 33	3 48	6 25
Wapwallopen "	8 13	11 42	1 43	3 53	6 41
Nescopeck ar	8 24	11 52	1 53	4 05	7 00
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Pottsville lv	6 00				5 50
Hazleton "	7 08	11 35			6 10
Tomhicken "	7 20	11 45			6 19
Fern Glen "	7 32	11 54			6 31
Rock Glen "	7 38	11 58			6 37
Nescopeck ar	8 03				6 54
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Nescopeck lv	8 24	11 52	1 53	4 05	7 00
Creasy "	8 33	12 02	2 03	4 14	7 09
Espy Ferry "	8 43	12 10	2 11	4 22	7 20
E. Bloomsburg "	8 47	12 14	2 15	4 27	7 25
		P.M.			
Catawissa ar	8 55	12 21	2 23	4 34	7 32
Catawissa lv	8 55	12 21	2 23	4 34	7 32
S. Danville "	9 14	12 38	2 41	4 53	7 51
Sunbury "	9 35	1 00	3 05	5 15	8 15
	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Sunbury lv	9 45	1 10	3 15	5 45	1 9 25
Lewisburg ar	10 15	1 45	3 50	6 18	
Milton "	10 20	1 39	3 44	6 14	9 50
Williamsport "	11 00	2 30	4 30	7 10	10 40
Oak Haven "	11 59	3 40	5 40	8 07	
Renovo "	A.M.	4 40	6 40	9 00	
Kane "		8 25			
	P.M.		P.M.		
Lock Haven lv	12 10		3 45		
Bellefonte ar	1 05		4 44		
Tyrone "	2 15		6 00		
Philipsburg "	4 23		8 26		
Clearfield "	5 07		9 09		
Pittsburg "	6 55		11 30		
	A.M.		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Sunbury lv	9 50		1 55	5 25	8 31
Harrisburg ar	11 30		3 20	6 55	10 10
	P.M.		P.M.	P.M.	A.M.
Philadelphia ar	3 00		6 23	10 2	4 25
Baltimore "	3 11		6 09	9 4	6 35
Washington "	4 10		7 15	10 5	7 45
	A.M.		P.M.		
Sunbury lv	10 57		2 03		
	P.M.				
Lewistown Jc ar	11 40		3 50		
Pittsburg "	6 55		11 30		
	A.M.		P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Harrisburg lv	11 45		5 50	7 30	10 20
				A.M.	A.M.
Pittsburg ar	6 55		11 30	2 00	5 30

‡ Weekdays. Daily. f Flag station

	P.M.	P.M.	A.M.	A.M
Pittsburg lv	7 05	3 30	2 50	8 00
	A.M.	A.M.		P.M.
Harrisburg ar	2 00	3 40	1 9 0	3 10
		A.M.		A.M.
Pittsburg lv	.....	.....	.....	8 00
				P.M.
Lewistown Jc "	.....	7 50	.....	3 40
Sunbury ar	.....	9 33	.....	5 30
	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M
Washington lv	10 40	.....	7 50	10 50
Baltimore "	11 55	4 55	8 50	12 00
Philadelphia "	11 20	4 30	8 30	12 25
	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Harrisburg lv	3 35	8 05	11 40	4 00
Sunbury ar	5 05	9 40	1 10	5 40
	P.M.		A.M.	A.M
Pittsburg lv	12 45	.....	2 50	8 00
Clearfield "	4 09	.....	.....	9 31
Philipsburg "	4 56	.....	.....	10 12
Tyrone "	7 15	.....	8 10	12 30
Bellefonte "	8 31	.....	9 32	1 42
Lock Haven ar	9 30	.....	10 30	2 48
	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Erie lv	4 30	.....	.....	.....
Kane "	7 55	.....	1 6 00	.....
Renovo "	11 10	6 40	10 30	.....
Lock Haven "	12 00	7 33	11 25	3 0C
	A.M.		P.M.	
Williamsport "	1 05	8 30	12 40	4 0C
Milton "	1 56	9 19	1 27	4 52
Lewisburg "	.....	9 05	1 15	4 47
Sunbury ar	2 27	9 45	1 55	5 20
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Sunbury lv	6 55	1 9 25	2 00	5 48
S. Danville "	7 18	10 17	2 21	6 09
Catawissa "	7 36	10 35	2 37	6 27
E. Bloomsburg "	7 42	10 41	2 43	6 32
Espy Ferry "	7 46	f10 47		f 6 36
Creasy "	7 50	10 56	2 55	6 46
Nescopeck ar	8 06	11 06	3 05	6 55
	A.M.			
Nescopeck lv		f11 55		f 7 05
Rock Glen "		12 21	3 27	7 31
Fern Glen "		12 27	3 35	7 37
Tomhicken "		12 35	3 45	7 45
		P.M.		
Hazleton "		12 55	4 05	8 05
Pottsville "		2 08		.....
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M
Nescopeck lv	f 8 06	f11 06	f 3 05	f 6 55
Wapwallopen ar	8 18	11 20	3 16	7 09
Mocanaqua "	8 28	11 32	3 25	7 21
Nanticoke "	8 48	11 54	3 46	7 42
		P.M.		
Plym'th Ferry "	f 8 57	12 02		7 52
Wilkesbarre "	9 05	12 10	4 05	8 00
	A.M.	P.M	P.M.	P.M
Pittston(D & H) ar	9 39	12 49	4 52	8 36
Scranton " "	10 08	1 18	5 20	9 05

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1899.

Democratic State Ticket.

FOR JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT,
SAMUEL L. MESTREZAT,
of Fayette County.

FOR JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT,
CHARLES J. REILLY,
of Lycoming County.

FOR STATE TREASURER,
WILLIAM T. CREASY,
of Columbia County.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,
W. H. FISHER,
from the South Side.
WILLIAM KRICKBAUM,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
JEREMIAH SNYDER,
of Locust Twp.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS,
WILLIAM H. HENRIE,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER,
J. C. RUTTER, JR.,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
JOHN G. HARMAN,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR COUNTY AUDITORS,
WM. BOGERT,
of Scott Twp.
G. H. SHARPLESS,
of Catawissa.

To the Democratic Voters of Columbia Co.

The election is fifteen days hence, to wit, November 7th, and it behooves every voter to study and consider the important questions which must be decided in this contest between the people and the Quay machine.

The vantage ground is with the Democratic party, owing to the fact that the Democratic ticket is composed of the best men who are before the people this year; men who have not been named because they belong to a machine, but because they have championed the cause of the people.

We therefore urge upon you the importance to vote; see that your neighbor votes, and let there be no stay-at-homes in Columbia county.

The state and county ticket is an exceptional one, and it is the duty, and should be the privilege, not only of Democrats, but of every careful taxpayer, irrespective of party politics, to support the best men.

We, therefore, repeat that the candidates on the Democratic ticket will be elected, because every man named on it is deserving of the support of the people in every way.

C. A. SMALL,
County Chairman.
R. G. F. KSHINKI, }
W. A. EVERT, } Secy's.
October 23, 1899.

The Independent Republicans are doing all and even more than we could expect of them to help us elect Reilly and Creasy. Let us show them that we appreciate their aid, by helping ourselves and polling a rousing vote.

Every Democrat owes it to his party and his citizenship to attend the coming election and urge others to go. A man may say "Well, one vote doesn't count for much," but one vote in each precinct means over 5,000 in the State.

The attempt to get the soldiers out to boom Barnett has proved a flat failure. A few of his men have been hired at five dollars a day and expenses to hippodrome the State, but there is no disguising the fact that he is very unpopular with his men and he knows it.

Democrats, now is the political opportunity of your lives. Every man who desires to see the overthrow of the Quay machine in the State should make an effort to have as many Republicans as possible to vote our ticket. The self-respecting Republicans of the State are with us heart and soul, and let us show them that we appreciate their efforts to help us clean out the gang that has long made the State a disgrace in the eyes of honest men.

It is every citizen's duty to vote. If the man who never votes only when he is coaxed or hauled to the polls were to be deprived of the right of suffrage, he would consider it a severe punishment; but there isn't much difference between the man who cannot vote and the man who can but does not.

"Farmer" Creasy declares that if he is elected State Treasurer he will disregard Stone's veto and pay the school appropriation in full, unless prevented by the Supreme Court. The ablest lawyers of the State consider Stone's veto illegal, and if it is, the Treasurer would be doing his duty to disregard it.

The prospect of electing our ticket this year are excellent and growing better every day. The Philadelphia ballot box stuffers and repeaters will find trouble ahead this fall if they undertake to carry out their usual corrupt methods. With a fair count in Philadelphia and the vote that Democrats will surely give in the country, the machine will be turned down on the 7th of November.

Gen. John Peter Shindel Gobin may always be depended on to hurt the cause he assumes to champion. He made serious trouble for the Quay camp the very first day of the joint session of the last Legislature in his zeal to aid his Boss by unfair means. He is now traveling over the State trying to persuade voters that they should not support Mr. Creasy because he is "only a farmer." Farmer Creasy is not the kind of a man Gobin wants in the office of State Treasurer. He wants a clerk who will obey orders.

Democrats have the enemy on the run, and are sure to carry the coming election, if they do their duty and turn out to vote. The Republicans have been forced to withdraw one of their candidates, because he was accused of being engaged in so many swindling schemes that honest Republicans rose in rebellion. The Quay gang knew what sort of a man he was before he was placed on the ticket, but thought they could force him through, and he then would suit them better than an honest man. Barnett was their choice for Treasurer, because he has been a slave heretofore to do their bidding.

Governor Stone says that there are no State issues this fall. It is not strange that he wants nothing said of his veto of a million dollars of the public school fund, or of his veto of the proposition to allow the people of the State to say whether they want legislation to prevent election frauds which Governor Stone well knows are committed by the thousand every year in Philadelphia. It is also plain why the Governor is sensitive about having anything said about speculating in State funds by the man who escaped the penitentiary on a legal quibble, only to be appointed United States Senator in less than three minutes afterward. Governor Stone will find that the people have something to say as to what are the issues.

Josiah R. Adams, Republican nominee for Justice of the Superior Court on Thursday last withdrew from the ticket. This action on the part of Mr. Adams, of course, made something of a sensation, politically, but it was not at all an unexpected move, to those familiar with the situation. Charges were made against him, which he could not meet. He was forced to retire or suffer an overwhelming and humiliating defeat and he chose the former. The vacancy was filled on Saturday by the nomination of John I. Mitchell, President Judge of the courts of Tioga county. The nomination of Mr. Mitchell is a shrewd political conception, but it is not going to save the remainder of the ticket. The people of Pennsylvania are aroused to the necessity of a radical reform, that will banish the Machine and wrest the state from the grasp of the looters. Adams has gone, the Machine must follow.

Ingham and Newitt Found Guilty.

After forty-eight hours of deliberation, struggling with the evidence and the arguments bearing upon the case against Ellery P. Ingham and Harvey K. Newitt, the jury returned into Court, at Philadelphia, on Friday, with a verdict of guilty. Attached to the verdict was a recommendation to the mercy of the Court. Owing to the fact that the jury had twice, on the previous day, been unable to agree on a verdict, the result, when announced, was a great surprise. The scene which followed the reading of the verdict is described as having been very dramatic.

Immediately A. S. L. Shields, attorney for the defendants, made a motion for a new trial and arrest of judgment. The bail of each was increased from $20,000 to $40,000.

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M. W. Golder and J. K. Henry paid us a pleasant visit on last Sabbath. Mr. Golder is doing a prosperous business, running a fine mill at Fowlersville, and Henry is employed in the car shops at Berwick.

H. E. Cromley has raised 150 bushels of potatoes on ⅛th acre- one potatoe weighing 2¼ pounds, and 19 of them filled a half bushel.

C. A. Hartline has been home on a sick vacation from Ashley. He is engaged in the locomotive works there. His many friends wish him good luck in health and restoration to his old situation.

C. E. Kline is home on a visit to his friends in Benton. He has been absent about twenty-five years, doing well in Kansas. His many friends were glad to see him. He says there are immense crops in Kansas.

Peter Rome is fresh from Kansas also, and is engaged in farming and sheep raising. He came in with his friend C. E. Kline. He has met with success in his western home.

More than 6,000 bushels of buckwheat have been shipped from here, to date.

Corn is fair crop, and the weather beautiful.

Alex Billmeyer has an excellent crop of corn. His barns are full to the comb.

Wm. F. Crawford can boast of as fine a lot of pigs as can be found in the county, as he has quite a large number.

Rev. E. Y. Brouse preached an excellent sermon in the M. E. church recently on the "Silent years of Christ." There were $40 subscribed for a new church.

Dr. Shuman showed us the beauty of fructification recently—a tree laden with beautiful pears. He took from it almost 5 bushel and the tree has borne three crops.

P. E. Mowrer of Strawberry Ridge, inserted pumps in our vicinity on Saturday last. He has been engaged for the last twenty years selling agricultural implements, he has the territory of seventeen counties and is doing well.

Vincent Farver and Ami Pegg of Berwick, visited Jerseytown on their bicycles on Sunday last and dined at Hotel Crawford. They report Berwick booming.

John Zimmerman and Ivison Confer of Danville, made our town a very pleasant visit on last Sunday. They are young farmers of J. R. Bennett, Castle Grove. They are very pleasant gentlemen, and made many new friends in Jerseytown. They are welcomed here at any time.

Mr. B. F. Fruit has been confined to his home for a long time on account of sickness.

Chas. F. Esterbrooks was damaged by a young bull four weeks ago, owned by S. S. Lowery—one rib cracked on left side which has proved a serious injury, and is now slowly recovering and able to be about and attend to business.

Try the COLUMBIAN a year.

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If you want to save money, buy your suit at Townsend's

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If you want any good, cheap Clothing, for your boys, in Suits or Overcoats, buy them at Townsend's.

Our motto is good goods at low prices, and satisfaction to all our customers. Remember that we do not misrepresent our goods.

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National Export Exposition, Phila., Pa.

Special Low-Rate Excursions Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for special low-rate excursions to Philadelphia, account National Export Exposition, on October 20 and 27, November 10 and 24. Round trip tickets, good going only on date of issue, and good to return within three days, including day of issue, will be sold on above dates from Williamsport, Lewisburg, Northumberland, and intermediate points, and from points on the Sunbury Division, Philadelphia and Erie Railroad; from all points on the Susquehanna and Shamokin Divisions, Northern Central Railway; and from points, Adamsburg to Selinsgrove, inclusive, on the Lewistown Division, Pennsylvania Railroad, at rate of single fare for the round trip, including admission to the Exposition. For specific rates apply to ticket agents.

The National Export Exposition contains the best and most complete exhibit of American export products ever seen in the United States. 3t19

Mr. Hemingway, the Secretary of the Jersey Cattle Club, says that "Biggle Cow Book is a most comprehensive little volume—one of the best things on the cow question I have ever looked into." Mr. Hemingway ought to know. Biggle Cow Book is advertised in this week's issue of THE COLUMBIAN. The price is 50 cents free by mail; address the publishers, Wilmer Atkinson Co., Philadelphia.

—During the temporary absence of Mrs. Edward Freel from her home at Larymer Sunday morning her 2-year-old babe fell into the well and was drowned.

WANTED—SEVERAL BRIGHT AND HONEST persons to represent us as managers in this and close by counties. Salary $900 a year and expenses. Straight, bona fide, no more, no less salary. Position permanent. Our references, any bank, in any town. It is mainly office work conducted at home. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. THE DOMINION COMPANY, Dept. 3, Chicago. 9-28-16t

TO THE PUBLIC.—I hereby announce myself as the Prohibition candidate for County Commissioner and respectfully ask the voters of Columbia county for their support, irrespective of party.
P. D. BLACK.
Rohrsburg, Pa., Oct. 10, 1899.

TO THE PUBLIC.—I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for County Commissioner, and ask the voters of Columbia County for their support, irrespective of party. O. T. WILSON.

TO THE PUBLIC.—I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for County Commissioner, and ask the voters of Columbia County for their support, irrespective of party. JOHN N. GORDON.

F. P. Pursel.

We are again ready this morning with the grandest, the largest, the best display of merchandise that this valley has ever known. Every day from now on must be a record breaker. Big piles of merchandise are here to be sold, and sold they must be.

Ladies' Capes.

$4 89 for a plush cape, made of the best plush, 27 inches long, trimmed with Thibet fur, and nicely lined. We have never offered this cape for less than $7 00 before.

$9 98 for a lot of golf capes, just received. The same we sold early in the season at $14 00 and $15 00.

$7 50 for a tan jacket, in all sizes, lined with silk, perfect fitting, and the newest cut. It would be good value at $10 00.

The black all wool fine Kersey jacket, lined with a heavy Skiner's satin throughout, and trimmed with small pearl buttons, made double front, is the best value at $10. We have them in all colors.

Underwear.

It is a great satisfaction to have nice, comfortable, warm underwear—goods that you can depend on wearing good. The 25c. ribbed vest, for ladies, we have not found its equal in all the goods we look at from day to day.

The lot of ribbed underwear we are offering at 5c. for the smallest size, and the price advances as the sizes are larger, is about half what they are worth. They are used for boys and misses.

Special Men's Underwear

The fleece lined underwear at 50c., for men, will make you comfortable in the coldest days we will have this winter. We can guarantee the goods. The fleece will not wash off, and they will not get hard.

Fur Collarettes.

We buy our fur goods, of all kinds, of a house we know is reliable. This is why we say our goods are right, in quality as well as the price.

Shoe Department.

Everything in the reliable footwear at popular prices. If you want a boy's school shoe, the shoe that we offer at $1 10 will give good wear for the price. It is a Bay State shoe. There are no goods equal to them for service.

We call attention to the ladies' shoes at $1 39, and another grade at $1 75. Both lots in lace and button.

$3 00 ladies' shoes, made in the newest toe, in all widths, button or lace. This is not an odd lot, but fresh from the maker. We will sell them at $2 39.

Special Offer On Dress Goods.

We put on sale a lot of 50c. dress goods this week at 36c. per yard.

F. P. Pursel

OUR MID-SUMMER

Clearing Sale

Mighty Bargains, Cut Prices,

Begin with us on Summer Goods from July 11th. **Now is** your time to save money on

Shirt Waists, Dimities, Organdies,

PERCALES, LAWNS, &c.

Do not miss this opportunity. We will have great values to offer you during the next month. See the goods, get the prices before you buy.

Bloomsburg Store Co., Limited.

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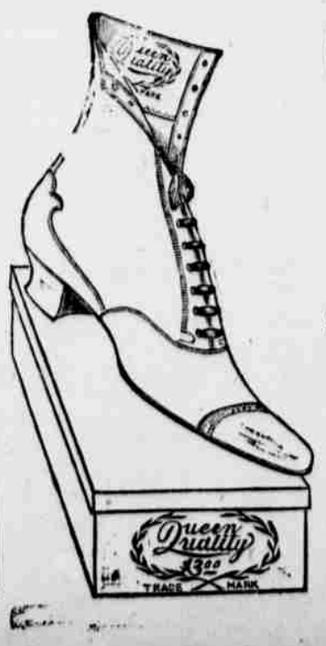

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1899.

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A GREAT OFFER.

Farm Journal From Now to Dec., 1903, Nearly Five Years.

By special arrangement, made with the publishers of the *Farm Journal*, we are enabled to offer that paper to every subscriber who pays for THE COLUMBIAN one year ahead, for only $1.00, both papers for the price of ours only; our paper one year and the *Farm Journal* from now to December, 1903, nearly 5 years. The *Farm Journal* is an old established paper, enjoying great popularity, one of the best and most useful farm papers published.

☞ This offer should be accepted without delay.

Wanted!

We want 500 new subscribers to the COLUMBIAN this fall, and as a special inducement will include the *Farm Journal* from now until Jan 1, 1904 *free.*

Or the New York Thrice a week *World* for three months *free.*

Or the COLUMBIAN and *World* one year for $1.50. tf

PURELY PERSONAL

Ben Gidding spent Wednesday in Wilkesbarre.

William H. Clark will return to Florida next Monday.

Nathaniel Kreisher has moved from this town to Centralia.

J. M. Chamberlin of Wilkesbarre spent the past week in town.

Mrs. J. L. Dillon spent last week visiting her father in Kingston.

James E. Reichard made a business trip to Philadelphia, last week.

Tom Moore has arrived home from a week's trip to Philadelphia and New York.

William Lowenberg is in the city this week purchasing new goods for the winter trade.

Miss Madaline Tasker, who has been visiting here for the past two months, returned to Punxsutawney today.

Mrs. William Leverett of Philadelphia, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. E. Elwell, and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Calendar of Huntingdon Mills, spent Sunday in town, visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Keiner.

Mrs. James McCloskey of Williamsport, has been the guest of her sister Mrs. William R. Casey, in town the past week.

Mrs. James W. Lewis and Miss Harriet Lewis, have returned to their respective homes at Altoona and Hollidaysburg.

County Commissioner William Krickbaum went Monday morning on a tour of inspection of the bridges in the upper end of the county

Howard C. Furman left on Monday for Philadelphia to accept a position in a large store. His many friends wish him success.

Elmer A. Mears of Rupert, was in town yesterday. He is compelled to carry his arm in a sling as a result of an accident which befell him recently.

Mrs. Clara Bird of Shamokin, and sister, Mrs. Roselda Shipe of North Dakota, were the recent guests for a few days of Mrs. Alice John on Normal Hill.

Ex-Sheriff J. B. McHenry, Ira McHenry, Brad Long and son, and several others from Benton started yesterday for the Adirondacks where they will hunt deer for two weeks. Last year they brought home six.

G. E. Geyer went to the meeting of the Republican State Central Committee at Philadelphia Saturday afternoon, as a substitute for James C. Brown of this town, the regular member, who was unable to attend on account of other business.

Boyd C. Evans and wife have returned home after spending a week in Philadelphia and New York. Boyd purchased several pairs of fancy pigeons while in the former city, among them several handsome specimens of the parlor tumbling variety.

VOTE FOR SNYDER FOR TREASURER.

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VOTE FOR RUTTER FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.

All kinds of drugs at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

A pension of $8 per month has been granted to C. W. Neal.

Lamp burners, wicks, chimneys, and lamps of many kinds at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Carpenters are at work on the new Y. M. C. A. building on Market street.

Pencil boxes, crayons, box paper, envelopes and all stationery at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

The curb stone market is about over for this season. Only three wagons were on hand Tuesday morning.

School tablets, pens, pencils, inks, erasers, compasses and all school supplies at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Benton had a foot ball game Saturday afternoon. The sturdy Bentonians lined up against a scrub outfit from Berwick and were vanquished to the tune of 6 to 0.

When in town stop and see the best and cheapest line of Blankets and Robes ever offered to the public at C. S. Furman's. 10-5 4t

Rev. A. J. McCann of St. Columba's Catholic church, was appointed one of the Synodical examiners at the Roman Catholic Synod of the Harrisburg Diocese held in Harrisburg recently.

Our bicycles are all sold, except three ladies'—all new. Some lady can get a bargain on them, at Mercer's Drug and Book Store.

Farmers' Institutes will be held in this county in December, as follows: 8th and 9th, at Mifflinville; 11th and 12th, at Orangeville, and 13th, at Benton. These institutes are very instructive and helpful to the farmers, and should be attended by followers of that occupation.

Inner tubes, tires, saddles, cements, tire tape, toe clips, wrenches, graphites and bike sundries at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

On account of illness, R. M. McBride was unable to complete the contract awarded to him by the commissioners to paint the River bridge, and the work has therefore been given to the next lowest bidder; Charles Menagh, a practical painter of many years experience, Mr. Menagh's bid was $224.15.

The Winona Fire Company at its meeting held Friday night, decided to produce a drama in the near future, for the purpose of raising money to replenish the treasury. The piece, we are unable to give the title just now, will be thoroughly rehearsed, and the boys guarantee the people a firstclass performance.

"The Sidewalks of New York" is the next attraction at the Grand Opera House, Tuesday evening Oct. 31. As its title indicates, the play is a drama dealing with life as it exists in New York today. There are scenes of peril and escape, villany and courage. The author, Scott Marble has taken special pains to show the comedy side of life on New York's sidewalks. The action of the play is rapid, the scenes graphic and picturesque localities in New York, its comic incidents naturally strong and highly diverting, its dramatic portions strong and interesting, and its sensational features startlingly real and decidedly novel. It is full to the brim with love, crime and vengeance, relieved, of course, by bright, sparkling specialties and broad comedy features. This successful melodrama is founded upon life in the great metropolis. There is plenty to stir the blood, in the startling scenes of violence and crime, and in its laughable comedy features. The "thriller" of the play is the daring dive made by Paul J. Tustin, a professional diver. This startling scene occurs in the third act. It represents an old deserted distillery and shot tower. The villian had thrown the heroine into the dark, cruel waters of the East River, when from the shot tower, Tustin who had witnessed the deed, jumps a distance of 40 feet into a tank containing but three feet of water.

VOTE FOR HARMAN FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Corn husking is about over.

If you have catarrh, rheumatism, or dyspepsia, take Hood's Sarsaparilla and be cured as thousands of others have been.

Monroe H. Kulp, former Congressman from this district, has been removed to Clifton Springs, New York for his health. He is afflicted with nervous prostration.

The Bloomsburg High School foot ball team defeated Catawissa on Normal Field Saturday afternoon, by a score of 16 to 0. It was a contest between strength and science and the latter won the day.

We had expected to make a fine display of lamps at the Fair, but was hopelessly disappointed, because the lamps did not arrive. They are here now, and are on sale at Mercer's Drug and Book Store, opposite the Episcopal Church.

J. H. MERCER.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. B. C. Conner, who was called away last week by his sister's illness, the Methodist pulpit on Sunday was occupied in the morning by Rev. G. M. Klepfer, of Catawissa, and in the evening by Rev. B. C. Lippincott, of Philadelphia.

The covering of crushed cinder recently given Main street, has wonderfully improved its appearance. There is no better material than crushed cinder for covering the streets. It wears down very rapidly, cements together, becomes smooth and hard, and is very lasting.

Elisha Stiner, of Summer Hill, is a loser to the extent of several hundred on account of a fire which totally destroyed his barn and crops, Sunday night. All the live stock was saved. The building was insured, but the amount is only trifling when the loss is considered. The illumination was plainly seen here in town, and was the cause of considerable comment.

The big mouthed coon, who annoyed the people in general here the fore part of fair, and who was finally chased out of town, was arrested at Milton last week for stealing pictures. The stolen goods were recovered and he was given ten minutes to get out of town. Our informant says that the dusky freak crossed the half mile bridge leading to Union county in about four minutes.

The wedding of Mr. Robert Sayre Mercur, superintendent of collieries of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, in the Centralia district, and Miss Grace Houck, youngest daughter of Rev. Mr. Houck, pastor of the Methodist church at Mt. Carmel, will take place at the home of the bride Saturday evening, Nov. 4th, at 7 o'clock. The bride-elect has many friends hereabouts.

The burglars who robbed A. R. Pennington's store at Fairmount Springs last week are evidently old hands at the business. They returned notes and papers amounting to nearly $2000 to Mr. Pennington by mail, cleverly sending the package containing the same as second class mail matter, consequently there was no post mark on it, and instead of writing the address cut it out of one of the other papers and pasted it on the envelop. They've been there before.

The *Farm Journal* has nearly two million readers each issue; it is putting in a new press that will print 200 copies a minute; it is the best farm paper in America, and it pleases the women folks all to pieces. We have made a special arrangement by which we are able to send the *Farm Journal* for the balance of 1899 and all of 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, over four years, to every subscriber of the COLUMBIAN who immediately pays all arrearages and a year in advance: also to all new subscribers who pay a year ahead.

Bloomsburg had a mild sensation Tuesday morning when it was learned that Miss Myrtle Johnson, the sixteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Johnson, who reside down near the river, and Adam Bailey, who for some months past has been engaged as buss driver at the Central Hotel had eloped. Bailey worked up till Monday night when he handed in his time and left. The couple boarded the up train on the Pennsylvania Railroad Tuesday morning, it is believed for Williamsport to get married. It is doubtful, however, if that was their destination, as the girl's father is unable to get any information from that place concerning them. Judging from Mr. Johnson's language on Tuesday, Bailey, if he can be found, will be given a lesson on the destructive propensities of a pair of boots.

VOTE FOR HENRIE FOR PROTHONOTARY.

Perfumery at 10, 15, 25, 50, 75, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00 per bottle at Mercer's Drug & Book Store.

Celia, aged seven years, daughter of Mrs. Sallie Berger, died at the home of William Harlan, in Millville, Tuesday night, after a short illness. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 10 o'clock.

The necessity of a general alarm, to arouse our people in case of fire, superior to the present system, which is only intended, and surely does no more than merely to enable the firemen to locate the fire, (if they hear it) was fully demonstrated Friday morning last. Scarcely anybody knew that a fire had taken place until the next day.

The dramatic recital, given by Miss Laura M. Ruff, elocutionist, of the Normal School, in the Auditorium, Monday evening, was attended by a large audience. Miss Ruff is a talented reader, graceful in her movements, and utters every word in a very distinct manner. She was ably assisted by Mrs. Sutliff, Miss Bowman and Mr. Breon, also of the Normal.

The repeated heavy blizzards reported to have visited the Western States has caused Captain J. B. Robison to fear for the safety of his son Boyd, who has been located in Leton County, Montana, engaged at sheep herding for some time past. Inasmuch, as many herdsmen were lost in the storm and his parents having received no word from him, Mr. Robison telegraphed, and received a reply from the postmaster ta Choteau, Montana, saying that his son was all right.

The whereabouts of Enos Jacoby, aged thirteen years, son of Mrs. Edward Jacoby, of Third street, this town, who disappeared from his home more than a week ago, are still unknown. His mother is greatly worried, and although she has resorted to every method which her ingenuity can suggest, to get some trace of her boy, she has been unsuccessful. When last seen, the lad was in company with some strangers, who had been here attending the fair, and it is the opinion of those who are acquainted with his disposition, that he has run away with them.

In our opinion no diversion from the prosy details of life is more pleasant than witnessing the performance of a real good play, and then again there is nothing more tiresome or disgusting than to sit and watch a lot of incompetents try to act. There was an outfit here not long ago, that didn't leave a very good impression, but in their wildest flights of theatrical degeneracy, they never quite reached that degree of rottenness attained by the "Irish Alderman" at the Opera House last night. The only redeeming feature was that but few people were "sold."

A warning against street fires is in order. Raking up into a pile and applying a match is a popular method of disposing of the great mass of dead leaves that fall from the trees at this time of year, and cover the walks and streets. These fires are not always watched as carefully as a consideration for safety demands that they should be. Tuesday morning, five fires were seen burning at the same time, and children were allowed to play around some of them. Fatalities have been recorded in large numbers as a result of allowing youngsters to indulge in this sort of passtime. Watch the fires closely and insist on children keeping away from them.

Does the Baby Thrive

If not, something must be wrong with its food. If the mother's milk doesn't nourish it, she needs SCOTT'S EMULSION. It supplies the elements of fat required for the baby. If baby is not nourished by its artificial food, then it requires

Scott's Emulsion

Half a teaspoonful three or four times a day in its bottle will have the desired effect. It seems to have a magical effect upon babies and children. A fifty-cent bottle will prove the truth of our statements.

Should be taken in summer as well as winter.

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SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Coats, Capes, Suits, Furs.

The World's Best to be Seen at Clarks'.

Treacherous Indian Summer has had no ill effect upon this handsome showing. Unless, perhaps, it has detained some of you from visiting this exposition of garments. No one to blame but yourself if you miss the pleasure of a visit here. Clark's garments were never handsomer. Fashion creators never before thought out more attractive designs. Price matters little. There's always a full money's worth—often more than the same amount will buy elsewhere.

Homespun Suit.

In grey, oxford, black. Dip front jacket, all satin lined, finely tailored. Skirt has the newest back. Price, $10.00.

Golf Capes.

In a great variety of plaids. There are many ways of making this popular garment. We have them—from $7.00 to 14.00.

Kersey Coat.

Made of a good grade of Kersey, all lined with silk romain, dip front, French cord back, stitched edges, in black, blue and castor—$7.00. Others higher and lower.

Furs.

Collarettes in newest shapes and popular furs, from $5.00 to $25.00. Victorines, storm collars, neck scarfs. Children's fur sets, from $1.00 to $9.50.

DRESS GOODS.

We call attention to our large line of Dress Materials of all kinds, in blacks, colors and mixtures. We invite you to see them. A full line of materials for making tailor-made suits.

Underwear.

Ladies' ribbed vests and pants, fleecy lined, 25c.

Union Suits.

For ladies, fleecy lined, at 50c.

Children's ribbed vests and pants, fleecy lined, all sizes, 25c.

A special lot of children's vests and pants, from 5c. up.

Also a lot of fine underwear for children at a big reduction in price. Not all sizes. See them.

Dress Trimmings.

A complete line of nets, allovers, chiffons, braids, buttons, collars, yokings, jets, &c.

Petticoats and Wrappers.

A complete new line. Petticoats from 48c. to $3.50. Wrappers, from 75c. to $2.00.

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Get the correct shape for your particular type of foot.

SEE THAT THIS Queen Quality $3.00 TRADE MARK IS BRANDED ON EVERY SHOE.

"QUEEN QUALITY" SHOES

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If only the shine and sparkle were desired people could be satisfied with imitations of real things. But genuine qualities are what the people want, and that is why we are popular with those who are looking for the best the jewelers can supply. Because an article is from our place the recipient is especially pleased.

New goods, low prices.

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Critical Judgment

finds no flaw in our Photographs. Let your friends decide—we know their opinion will be complimentary to our work.

Skill, taste, experience, with the best of modern appliances and equipment—all these we employ to make your picture perfectly satisfactory.

We are showing several new styles of work in both the platinotype and carbonette finish that are exclusive with us in Bloomsburg.

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PHILLIPS ✻ STUDIO,
MAIN STREET.
Opposite Episcopal Rectory. 11-24

The Carbon county grand jury has directed that indictments be drawn against the three county commissioners on the charges of malfeasance in office.

New plank are being placed on the River bridge.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

PARTY LINES WIPED OUT

Republican Support Assured to Creasy and Reilly.

REVOLUTION AGAINST QUAYISM.

Democratic Victory Brought Within Reach by the Terrific Indictment Upon Which the Business Men's Republican League Opposes Quay's Candidates.

No longer can the Democratic state committee or its campaign speakers be accused of idle boasting in their estimate of the anti-Quay Republican vote that will be cast for Creasy and Reilly. The Quay ranks are dismayed by the ringing appeal of the Philadelphia branch of the Business Men's Republican League of Pennsylvania to the members of their party throughout the state to work and vote for the defeat of the Quay candidates.

The league's terrific indictment of Quayism is answerable only by suit for libel or tacit confession of guilt. It is the most severely condemnatory synopsis yet made of the crimes charged against the ring now trying to drown state issue discussion with shouts for the tariff and McKinley's war policy. The league gives the Quay men every chance for redress, for the criminal accusations are signed by two of Philadelphia's most responsible business men, the president, William Sellers, head of the great machine works bearing his name, and the chairman of the executive committee, William T. Tilden, wholesale wool merchant.

Formally adopted by a body composed of representatives, all Republicans, of the commercial, manufacturing, professional and mechanical interests of Philadelphia, this declaration lauds Farmer Creasy as "an honest man beyond the reach of the influences which must necessarily surround any machine chosen candidate."

The Business Men's Republican League, organized in 1896 for the purpose of aiding in the election of Mr. McKinley as president, has never until now overstepped party lines. Its aim has been to improve the character of the state government by opposing within party lines the selection of improper candidates by the Republican party for state offices. It has restricted itself to suggesting types of men, always Republicans, fit to be the standard bearers of their party. The league's present appeal to the voters of Pennsylvania is confessedly revolutionary, and may well be regarded as no less ominous than was the wall warning to Belshazzar. Its indictment and declaration of independence follow:

TO FIGHT OUTSIDE THE PARTY.

The league has invariably, actively or by its silence, aided the election of Republican nominees, firmly believing that the rising sentiment against the abuses in the management of state affairs by the corrupt Quay machine would become strong enough within the party to overpower the machine in spite of its high handed methods and the frauds through which it has maintained control.

Notwithstanding this machine's great power, the trend toward better government has given such promise of speedy triumph that in a last desperate effort to avert its overthrow it has taken away from the Republican voters the only remaining means by which it was possible to remedy existing evils, by action within the party. It has destroyed the power of the citizen's ballot at the primary elections by the adoption of rule No. 7, which practically disfranchises anti-machine Republicans in congressional, senatorial and judicial districts.

In the past this league has suffered unfit candidates to go unopposed for the sake of party regularity. But the time for such compliance is gone.

QUAYISM INDICTED IN DETAIL.

A corrupt candidate for United States senator, after being repudiated by the chosen representatives of the people, is appointed by a servile governor in violation of the constitution, and the party convention is packed to indorse this unconstitutional act.

Candidates of conspicuous unfitness are thrust upon the ticket.

Members of the legislature are offered bribes to vote for the notorious McCarrell jury bill in the interest of a criminally indicted senator.

Members of the legislature are offered bribes to vote for the machine candidate for senator.

The head of the machine is forced to the degrading necessity of pleading the statute of limitations to save himself from the penitentiary.

TAX ESCAPING FAVORITES.

In the interest of the tax escaping corporations and the brewers the appropriations for the public schools are cut down by unconstitutional acts.

In the interest of the tax escaping corporations and brewers the state's insane wards and hospital patients are cruelly deprived of the money needed for their care.

In the interest of the tax escaping corporations and the brewers the tax burdens of all unfavored citizens have been made heavier.

In the interest of the spoils hunting machine the cause of civil service reform, to which the Republican party is committed, is abandoned in the machine made state platform of Pennsylvania.

BACKERS OF ELECTION FRAUDS.

For the maintenance of a system of repeating at the polls, by which in the city of Philadelphia alone more than 50,000 fraudulent votes can be counted, constitutional amendments in the interest of an honest ballot are vetoed in defiance of the constitution.

A state chairman is appointed who was dismissed from office for aiding in an attempted treasury loot, and who is notorious for complicity in the wrecking of a state financial institution—a man who has declared through resolutions prepared by himself and adopted by a county convention under his control, that those who oppose the machine and his shameful acts are "cowards and traitors."

For these and other crimes against the Republican party and the state this league refuses to accept the ticket of the Quay machine as a ticket representing the Republican party.

Next comes the league's renewed avowal of Rpublican principles, with a hearty and unequivocal indorsement of President McKinley's policy and of his candidacy for re-election. This rebuke to Quayite hypocrisy in trying to hide behind McKinley so as to retain the grip on the state treasury, is followed by a good word for the only Republican nominee whom the business men will support—J. Hay Brown—for supreme justice.

THE HAYWOOD LETTER.

Writing That Speaks For Itself, Irrespective of Results in the Courts.

The following letter, dated July 31, 1896, addressed to the president of the People's bank, was mailed in an envelope to John S. Hopkins, cashier of the bank:

"Dear Sir: On Monday we will mail you a check for one hundred thousand dollars for the credit of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, general fund, which will make a credit to our account of six hundred thousand dollars. The understanding is that I am not to draw against any part of this six hundred thousand dollars deposited until the Hon. R. R. Quay has paid or arranged satisfactorily to you the loan of one hundred thousand dollars, which you are to make him next week.

"Very truly yours,
"B. J. HAYWOOD,
"State Treasurer."

A telegram referring to the letter was dated at Muscoco, Ontario, and addressed to John S. Hopkins, cashier, as follows:

"I wrote your president last Friday night, saying we would not draw any part of the deposit of $600,000 until R. R. Quay had paid or arranged satisfactorily to you the $100,000 you were to loan him this week.
"B. J. HAYWOOD,
"State Treasurer."

The loan of $100,000 was made at that time, and carried down to the insolvency of the bank, but was paid immediately afterward.

A letter of Jan. 15, 1897, from M. S. Quay, read:

"Dear John: Give George Huhn $25,000 for me. It is for a margin in some stock. Send me a note for $25,000 and I will sign and return."

Following is a letter of Sept. 4, 1897, from M. S. Quay:

"Dear John: I have yours of the 1st and enclosures, and return note signed, as per request; much obliged. It will be queer if the stock does not go down $10 a share. My purchases always do, though they come out right in the end. U. G. I. and Sugar are saddening, but Dolan don't like us well enough to let us in on the first, and the second is a dangerous gamble."

The next letter from Quay, dated Sept. 21, 1897, reads:

"Dear John: I have at Huhn's 900 shares of Met. I wish you to take out for me. It stands $110,812.50 Aug. 31, and with your $61,625 will make $172,437.50 I will owe your bank. I have $100,000 New Jersey bonds, 1,500 shares of New Jersey stock, which I will change into Met, as soon as the top notch in Jersey is reached—that is to say, I will sell the Jersey securities and pay off the indebtedness to you. The Jersey bonds ought to go to par within 60 days. When they are par the stock will be at least fifty. It will pay a small dividend next year. Please write me a receipt of this."

A letter from Quay, dated Dec. 10, 1897, follows:

"Dear John: I have 1,000 shares of Sugar that Huhn bought at 142 which I wish you to pay for and take over to the People's. I have bought it for keep, but don't wish the stock to be placed in my name just yet, as I will sell if I find I can get it any lower. Get rid of the Met script and Consolidated Jersey stock as rapidly as you can at the figures fixed."

A receipt signed by George A. Huhn & Son, dated Dec. 14, 1897, follows:

"Received by the People's bank $129,651.65 for 1,000 shares of Sugar Trust Certificate company, to be transferred to the name of John S. Hopkins, Esq."

Numerous other letters and telegrams from Quay were in nature similar to the foregoing. They included a telegram saying to Hopkins: "I hope you will discount Senator Brown's note for $3,000;" also the following telegram of Feb. 11, 1898:

"St. Lucie, Fla., John S. Hopkins: If you buy and carry a thousand Met for me, I will shake the plum tree."

New Interest Law an Inadequate Remedy For Treasury Abuses Recently Aired in Courts.

Here follows testimony, from a high Republican source, against Quay machine assertions that under the act of 1897 regulating in some degree state deposits of money and interest thereon, the state treasurer cannot continue abuses like those recently aired in the courts. Governor Hastings, on Oct. 15, 1898, at a Republican mass meeting in the Academy of Music, at Philadelphia, which State Chairman Elkin had called, declared:

"It cannot be questioned that the public funds have been used for political purposes by depositing them in favorite banks, where such deposits were expected to yield returns in the shape of political influence. This system cannot be defended. While the new interest law is an improvement, it does not, in my judgment, meet the difficulty and correct the evil. It should not be in the power of the state treasurer, or of any man or men controlling him, to say what banks shall handle the millions of dollars that are annually paid into the state treasury. It would be far better for the state to receive no interest upon the deposits than to suffer a system to continue which can be used for partisan political purposes, and, in my judgment, the evil will never be corrected until the state keeps in her own vaults, as do the United States and many of the states, the moneys that she owns."

A striking illustration of state treasury abuses referred to by Governor Hastings was presented on Aug. 24, 1898, to Auditor Holding, appointed by the court to take testimony concerning the defunct Chester County Guarantee Trust and Safe Deposit company. It had been a depository for state funds, and the late ex-Congressman Darlington, president of the concern, when asked what was meant by "current expenses," charged in the books, testified that they were political contributions "of from 2 to 3 per cent annually to the Republican state and county committees, paid pursuant to a sort of implied understanding with the parties who were influential in controlling the state deposits."

The men who controlled the state treasury in the periods of time referred to by Governor Hastings, by the Darlington testimony, and by the disclosures resulting from the People's bank failure, are the men who dictated the Republican nominations this year.

Treasurers Come and Go, But the Treasury Key Does Not Change Hands.

Let the state treasury's history for the last 20 years answer the question whether improvement can be expected from the success of the Quay ticket next November.

William Livsey, who has exiled himself from the state since 1891, was appointed cashier of the state treasury in 1880 by Treasurer Samuel Butler. Silas M. Bailey was elected treasurer in 1881, and continued Livsey as cashier. Livsey was elected state treasurer in 1883, and was succeeded in that office by Mr. Quay, who was elected in 1885.

By appointment from Quay Livsey returned to the cashier's desk, and held it until Quay, in the second year of his term, resigned, and Livsey was appointed to serve as treasurer for the remaining eight months. Upon William B. Hart's election as treasurer in 1887 he made Livsey his cashier. Hart died before his term closed, and again Livsey was appointed to a vacant treasurership.

Henry K. Boyer, elected treasurer in 1889, gave the cashiership to Livsey, who retained it until he became a fugitive at the start of the treasury probing in 1891. Thus, for 11 years, as a representative of the machine, Livsey had held the key.

B. J. Haywood, failing to be nominated in 1893 to succeed Treasurer Morrison, was made cashier under Treasurer Samuel Jackson. Haywood was elected treasurer in 1895, and upon the election of the present treasurer, James S. Beacom, Haywood was restored to the cashiership, which he retained until his death.

TWO SIMILAR CASES.

Haywood's troubles had notable precedent in Livsey's case. In 1891 Livsey and his chief had permitted the treasurer of Philadelphia, as agent for the state, to collect $367,604 of license money and to retain it for six months after its payment was due to the state treasury. This money, with other funds of the state and city, was in a rotten bank. Of the $367,604, bondsmen, pursued by a Democratic attorney general and governor, made good $120,000, and about $30,000 additional was recovered through the exertions of the same officials, but there remained a net loss to the state of $100,000.

TREASURER MORE THAN A CLERK

The treasury act of 1897 makes no practical change except in requiring the treasurer to collect two per cent per annum interest from all the state fund depositories except five "active banks," which pay one and a half per cent per annum on the daily balances. The treasurer is empowered to select all the depositories, "subject to the approval of the board of revenue commissioners," one of whom is himself, and the others the auditor general and the secretary of the commonwealth. As the present three commisioners owe their offices to the Quay machine, which they continue faithfully to serve, it is plain that no stronger check upon the selection of depositories exists now than before the new interest law took effect.

"What's the Constitution Between Friends!"

For every eleven dollars which the public schools formerly received from the state they get but ten dollars out of the appropriation unconstitutionally reduced by Governor Stone. Nothing could be plainer than the constitutional language that while the governor may veto an item, he has no right to divide an item. Yet he cut a million dollars out of the item through which the legislature had voted in a lump sum, $11,000,000 to the public schools.

The treasury deficiency which gave him the excuse for doing this had been caused primarily by former machine legislators in unnecessarily increasing public officials and petty clerkships in the several departments, and in unjustifiably increasing salaries. The efforts of the anti-machine majority in the late house to remedy this deficiency through the Creasy revenue bill and other measures were defeated by the Quay controlled senate.

The governor's disregard for the constitution is shown again in his obstruction of the movement for reform in the registration of voters. The late legislature adopted a resolution for submission to a popular vote a proposed constitutional amendment which would facilitate, among other reforms, personal registration, and would authorize enactment of laws for special legislation on this subject for the large cities in which election crime is rampant. After the adoption of this resolution by the next legislature the people could vote on the question. The governor, without right or justification, vetoed the resolution, and his cabinet officers, taking the cue, refuse to carry out the provision for advertising the proposed amendment. Thus is attempted a deprivation of the people's constitutional right to pass upon a question of amending their fundamental law.

Hope to Be Saved by Shouting For McKinley.

Quay attempts to cloud the issues now as he tried to do at the opening of the last gubernatorial campaign, when Candidate William A. Stone predicted that McKinley's conduct of the war with Spain would so absorb patriotic attention as to make opposition to the Republican ticket impotent. Quay and his henchmen now court the national administration's favor by advocating McKinley's renomination, and play the old game of arguing that their loss of the state treasury would be a slap in McKinley's face from Pennsylvania Republicans.

Suppose their candidate for state treasurer makes good promises. All their candidates for state treasurer have done that. Their candidate for governor last year was given no chance by the anti-machine coalition in the last house to act upon pinch or grab bills which he had promised on the stump to veto. But chances which he failed to improve included those of placing no unconstitutional obstruction in the way of reformed registration of voters; of respecting the constitutional prohibition against dividing an item of the general appropriation bill, as he did in depriving the public schools of a million dollars, and of refraining from contemptuous disregard of the legislative majority in his unconstitutional appointment of Quay.

FILIPINOS PUNISHED.

Driven From Trenches About Calamba With Heavy Loss.

AMERICANS TRAPPED BY TRUCE FLAG

Re-enforcements Under Major Reefe Sent to Iloilo—Otis Will Not Treat With "Honorable President" Aguinaldo's Emissaries.

MANILA, Oct. 24.—The Filipinos around Calamba and Angeles have bothered the Americans lately with their repeated attacks, like the most of these attacks, consisting of shooting a lot of ammunition into their opponents' camp from long range. Major Cheatham's battalion of the Thirty-seventh infantry, three companies of the Twenty-first infantry, a battery of the Fifth artillery and a Gatling gun sallied out yesterday morning from Calamba, drove the Filipinos from their trenches and pursued them for three miles, inflicting heavy loss on them. One American was killed, and three were wounded of the Twenty-first infantry.

Lieutenant Fergus, with 20 scouts of the Thirty-sixth regiment, reconnoitering near Labao, encountered a party of mounted Filipinos. He killed six of them and captured eight, with ten rifles.

Four men from the gunboat Mariveles were lured ashore 18 miles from Iloilo by a flag of truce, and the enemy killed one of them, wounded one and captured a third. The gunboat was unable to fire for fear of wounding the Americans.

The second battalion of the Nineteenth regiment, Major Reefe commanding, has embarked for Iloilo to re-enforce the troops there.

A Filipino newspaper makes the statement that independence will be given to the islands in December, when Bryan will be elected president of the United States. The newspaper also makes the statement that the American casualties have been 23,000 since last February and that the policy now is a retreating fight.

YOUNG WINS VICTORY.

Filipinos Under General Pilar Lose Heavily.

MANILA, Oct. 21.—News has just been received here of an engagement between the forces of General Young and General Pio del Pilar at San Isidro. The

GENERAL S. B. M. YOUNG.

Filipinos were defeated with heavy losses. The Americans lost three men wounded.

Batson's Maccabebes met two companies of the insurgents strongly intrenched four miles north of Arayat.

The Maccabebes flanked them and drove them out of the trenches, killing six and wounding many.

One lieutenant and eight soldiers armed with rifles were captured. The Maccabebes drove them three miles to Santa Rita, only one Maccabebe being mortally wounded. Their first severe engagement the Maccabebes carried off brilliantly.

Major Howard Killed.

OMAHA, Oct. 23.—A cable dispatch has been received here announcing the death in the Philippines on Saturday of Major Guy Howard, son of General O. O. Howard. The cablegram, dated Saturday, was received by Judge J. M. Woolworth, father-in-law of Major Howard, and read as follows: "Guy Howard killed in action today." Major Howard was well known in Omaha, being on his father's staff when the latter was stationed here. He was married in this city 15 years ago to Miss Woolworth, and the nuptials were a notable society function. Mrs. Howard resides here with her three children.

Latest Peace Overtures.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—General Otis' account of the last Filipino peace overture is as follows: "Message received at Angeles under flag of truce expressed desire of Hon. President Aguinaldo to send commission to Manila to arrange difficulties connected with delivery of Spanish prisoners and to discuss matter of particular character. Reply returned that commission accredited by any one other than General Aguinaldo, general in chief of insurgent forces, could not be recognized or received. No later correspondence."

Nebraska's Great Corn Crop.

OMAHA, Oct. 25.—The annual crop review of The Bee, compiled from reports of special correspondents in every county in Nebraska, shows that the corn crop of 1899 exceeds the record of the best previous year by 14,217,240 bushels. The crop of 1899 reaches the enormous figure of 244,125,093 bushels. The average yield per acre is 34.50 bushels, and the quality of the crop is excellent. The wheat yield is below that of the last two years.

Shamrock Will Leave Next Week.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—It is expected that the Shamrock will start from New York for England a week from today, but she will not leave Sandy Hook until the weather is fairly promising. The steam yacht Erin will tow her whenever possible, though in the roughest weather the Shamrock will travel under her own canvas.

Another Cup Challenger.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—A provincial paper is authority for the statement that if the Shamrock fails to win the America's cup, Mr. Lever, a millionaire soap manufacturer, intends to issue a challenge for a series of races in 1900.

The India Famine.

SIMLA, Oct. 21.—The number of persons now receiving famine relief throughout India reaches 393,000.

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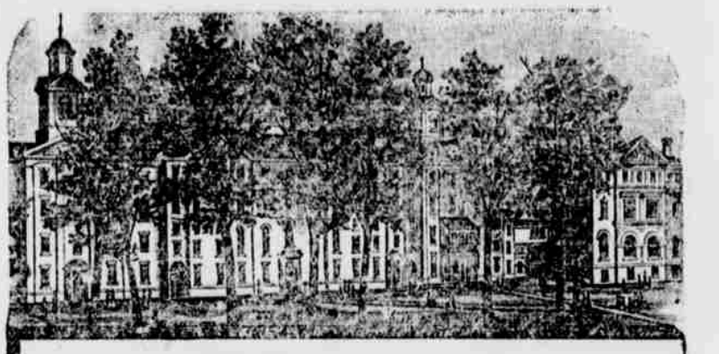

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CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Notable Events of the Week Briefly, and Tersely Told.

Twenty-eight horses perished in a fire on a New Jersey stock farm.

The American Surety bank, in the City of Mexico, has been so successful that it is to treble its capital.

The French minister of war signed a decree modifying the organization of the superior council of war.

Russia has agreed to arbitrate the differences with the United States over the seizure of whalers in Bering sea.

General Castro, the Venezuelan insurgent leader, has assumed control of the government and has formed a cabinet.

The court of appeals has affirmed the conviction of Howard C. Benham of Batavia, N. Y., of the murder of his wife.

General Carlos Ezeta, ex-president of Salvador, has made the City of Mexico his headquarters and is trying to stir up a revolution in Salvador.

Tuesday, Oct. 24.

Anti-Semitic riots have occurred at Halleschau, Moravia.

The Prince of Wales received General Benjamin Harrison at Marlborough House.

The total registration for New York city was 282,000, or 34,000 short of last year's figures.

Five persons were killed in a fight between Americans and Mexicans at Naco, A. T., a border town.

The United States consul at Panama reports an insurrection there and the proclamation of martial law.

General Castro, the Venezuelan insurgent general, has entered Caracas, and no more fighting is expected.

William P. Lord of Oregon has been appointed minister to Argentina, succeeding W. S. Buchanan, resigned.

Disrespectful persons mutilated the noses and hands of the new statues in Berlin of seven of Emperor William's ancestors.

Monday, Oct. 23.

A statue of the late Senator Vance will soon be unveiled in Raleigh.

General Andrade, the deposed president of Venezuela, has fled to Trinidad.

F. Tennyson Neely, a New York city book publisher, failed for $359,531. His assets are $414,739.

Mounted Policeman Matthew Faulds of the New York force was thrown from his horse and instantly killed.

By the advice of his physician Admiral Dewey has canceled his engagements in Atlanta, Philadelphia and other points.

An appeal has been issued for funds for the erection of a permanent Dewey arch in New York city. One million dollars will be required.

Five men were swept from a narrow footwalk on the Brooklyn Elevated railroad by a passenger whose body projected from the steps of a train. One was killed, and another may die.

Saturday, Oct. 21.

A sepoy outbreak is reported from British Burma.

Serious riots are reported from Prague and other cities in Bohemia.

Secretary Hay was formally notified of the assent of Great Britain to the Alaskan modus vivendi.

A posse near St. Annes, Miss., burned at the stake a negro who had confessed to the murder of a whole family.

A dispatch from Vienna announces the death of Colonel Schneider, former Austrian military attache in Paris and prominently connected with the Dreyfus case.

Two hundred and thirty persons near Toledo, Spain, have been attacked with a disease believed to be the bubonic plague. Five new cases and three deaths were reported at Oporto.

Friday, Oct. 20.

The yellow fever epidemic has nearly subsided in Key West.

Dr. John A. Dowie, Chicago's "divine healer," was mobbed by medical students.

Mrs. Mary G. Mears of Albany was elected president of the State Assembly of Mothers.

Fifty thousand dollars were stolen from the Caribou Hydraulic company's safe at Ashcroft, B. C.

Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court and Mrs. Fuller and Justice Brewer returned from Europe.

Acting Indian Agent Nicholson, at San Carlos, A. T., reported that the threatened Indian outbreak had been averted.

The American Bridge company, with $67,500,000 capital, was reported under organization at Pittsburg, to control 98 per cent of the output.

Thursday, Oct. 19.

Admiral Dewey promised to visit Philadelphia on Oct. 31 and Nov. 1.

Lord Mayor Tallon of Dublin and John Redmond, M. P., arrived on the Majestic.

Storms have done much damage and caused some loss of life in southern Italy.

Ex-Speaker Thomas B. Reed was admitted to practice before the bar of New York state.

The premier of Ontario has resigned and will be succeeded by the present minister of education.

Mrs. Jane Lindsay of Brooklyn finished her eight hundredth mile, beating the record held by Miss Yatman.

Signor Marconi has been sued for $100,000 damages for alleged infringement of a patent covering wireless telegraphy.

Ex-President Ezeta of San Salvador has left California to persuade Mexico to join in stirring up San Salvador to another revolution.

San Carlos agency Indians, in Arizona, resent a wanton attack by United States negro troops and have threatened to exterminate the soldiers.

Large Order For Cars.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad company placed a contract with the American Car and Foundry company of Detroit for the construction of 1,000 coal cars. This makes a total of 2,500 coal cars contracted for by the company within a week and is an indication of the great activity in the coal trade.

Terrible October Storms.

HELENA, Oct. 24.—The northern portion of this state is one colossal snow bank. For four or five days last week snow fell almost unceasingly. At the town of Choteau, county seat of Teton county, it was 10 to 12 feet deep in drifts and at least three feet on the level. At least 20 persons have perished.

Hot In Nebraska.

OMAHA, Oct. 24.—All existing hot weather records for 30 years have been broken in Nebraska during the past three days. Saturday the mercury reached 89, Sunday 88 and yesterday 88, with a high degree of humidity. The heat has been accompanied by a gale from the south.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Neyhard, late of Orange Twp. Columbia County, Pa., deceased.

The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pa., to distribute the balance in the hands of the administrator, will sit at his office, in the COLUMBIAN building, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Friday, November 10th, 1899, at 9 o'clock a. m., to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested must appear, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

10-19-4t H. A. McKILLIP, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Catharine Weaver deceased, late of the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to distribute the fund in the hands of Charles W. Funston, administrator c. t. a. and attorney in fact for the heirs of Catharine Weaver, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at the office of Ikeler & Ikeler in Bloomsburg, on Friday, October 27, 1899 at 10 o'clock a. m. when and where all persons having claims must present them, or be debarred from any share in said fund. FRANK IKELER,

10-5-4t Auditor.

ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

I, W. W. BLACK, High Sheriff of Columbia County, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do hereby make known and give notice to the electors of the county aforesaid, that a general election will be held in the said county of Columbia, on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1899,

(being the Tuesday next following the first Monday of said month) for the purpose of electing the several persons hereafter named:

Two persons for Judges of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
One person for Judge of the Superior Court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
One person for State Treasurer of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
One person for Prothonotary and Clerk of the Courts of Columbia County.
One person for Register and Recorder of Columbia County.
One person for Treasurer of Columbia County.
One person for District Attorney of Columbia County.
Three persons for County Commissioners of Columbia County.
Three persons for County Auditors of Columbia County.

The qualified voters of this county are hereby authorized and required to vote by ticket, printed, written, or partly printed and partly written as follows:

REPUBLICAN.
STATE TREASURER, James E. Barnett.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT, J. Hay Brown.
JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT, John I. Mitchell.
PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF COURTS, C. C. Yetter.
REGISTER AND RECORDER, George W. Mears.
TREASURER, John W. Fortner.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, Albert W. Duy.
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Nehemiah Kitchen.
COUNTY AUDITOR, Z. A. Butt.
DEMOCRATIC.
STATE TREASURER, William T. Creasy.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT, S. Leslie Mestrezat.
JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT, Charles J. Reilly.
PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF COURTS, William H. Henrie.
REGISTER AND RECORDER, John C. Rutter, Jr.
TREASURER, Jeremiah Snyder.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, John G. Harman.
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, William H. Fisher, William Krickbaum.
COUNTY AUDITORS, William Bogart, G. H. Sharpless.
PROHIBITION.
STATE TREASURER, John M. Caldwell.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT, Agib Ricketts.
JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT, Harold L. Robinson.
PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF COURTS, A. W. Eves.
REGISTER AND RECORDER, C. B. Lutz.
TREASURER, H. W. Whitmire.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, R. R. John.
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, P. D. Black.
AUDITOR, J. Harry Eisenhower.
PEOPLES.
STATE TREASURER, Justus Watkins.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT, John H. Stevenson.
JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT, Nathan L. Atwood.
SOCIALIST LABOR.
STATE TREASURER, Samuel Clark.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT, Donald L. Monro.
JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT, Val Remmel.
UNION REFORM.
STATE TREASURER, Samuel D. Wood.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT, John H. Stevenson.
BRYAN ANTI-TRUST.
STATE TREASURER, William T. Creasy.
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT, S. Leslie Mestrezat.
JUDGE OF SUPERIOR COURT, Charles J. Reilly.
PEOPLES INDEPENDENT.
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, O. T. Wilson.
INDEPENDENT DEMOCRAT.
COUNTY COMMISSIONER, John N. Gordon.

I also hereby make known and give notice that the places of holding the aforesaid election in the several wards, boroughs, districts and townships within the county of Columbia are as follows, viz:

Beaver township, at the public house of C. A. Shuman.
Benton Borough, at the public house of Oscar E. Sutton, in the Borough of Benton.
Benton township, at the grist mill of Edwards Bros.
Berwick N. E., at the tin shop of George A. Buckingham on east side of Pine street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in the Borough of Berwick.
Berwick S. E., at the easterly side of the public building on second street, between Market and Mulberry streets, in the Borough of Berwick.
Berwick N. W., at the band room of Harry Grozier on the easterly side of the alley between Third and Jackson streets, in the Borough of Berwick.
Berwick S. W., at the westerly side of the public building on Second street, between Market and Mulberry streets, in the Borough of Berwick.
Bloom, 1st Precinct, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg.
Bloom, 2nd Precinct, at Office of W. L. Demaree, on West Fifth St., Bloomsburg.
Bloom, 3rd Precinct, at the Town Hall, in Bloomsburg.
Bloom, 4th Precinct, at the Public House of Wm. Giger, in Bloomsburg.
Briarcreek township, at the Martz school house.
Catawissa Borough, in the building of W. H. Rhawn, at corner of Main and Railroad Sts. in the Borough of Catawissa.
Catawissa township, in the public house of J. W. Adams.
Centralia, 1st Ward, at the public House of John J. Kain, in Centralia.
Centralia, 2nd Ward, at the public house of Peter F. Omler, in Centralia.
Centre township, at the public school house near Lafayette Creasy's.
Cleveland township, at Kreisher's store house.
Conyngham, E. North District, at the school house near colliery of John Anderson & Co.
Conyngham, Southeast, at the public house of Daniel Roach, Montana.
Conyngham West North, at the public house of Bridget Burke.
Conyngham, Southwest, at the public house of William Waltersheid, in Locustdale.
Conyngham West District at Midvalley School House.
E. Fishingcreek, at the house of John Wenner at Bendertown.
W. Fishingcreek, at the Savage school house.
Franklin township, at the Lawrence school house.
Greenwood East at the house of Clark Utt, in Rohrsburg.
Greenwood West, at the shop of Samuel Miller, in Greenwood.
Hemlock township at the public house of Lemuel Drake, in the town of Buckhorn.
Jackson township, at the house of H. H. Hirleman, in Jackson.
Locust township at the public house of Peter E. Bean, in Numidia.
Madison township at the public house of W. F. Crawford, in Jerseytown.
Main township, at the public house of Zachariah Kreischer, in Mainville.
Mifflin township, at the public house of Benj. Pennypacker, in Mifflinville.
Millville Borough, at the public house of Mrs. Heller, in Millville.
Montour township, at the public house of Mrs. Lloyd Kelchner, at Rupert.
Mt. Pleasant township, at the election house of Robert C. Howell.
Orange township, at the public house of Hiram Shaffer, in Orangeville.
N. Pine, at the house of William H. Lyons.
S. Pine, at house of Elijah Shoemaker.
Roaringcreek township, at the house of Samuel Leiby.
Scott East, at Odd Fellows Hall, in Espy.
Scott West, at the P. O. S. of A. building in Light Street.
Stillwater, at the store house of A. B. McHenry, in said borough.
North Sugarloaf, at the public house of Jacob Steen in Central.
South Sugarloaf, at the old school house at Coles Creek.

Polls shall be opened at seven o'clock a. m., and shall continue open without interruption or adjournment until seven o'clock p. m., when the polls will be closed.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That every person, excepting Justices of the Peace and Aldermen, Notaries Public and persons in the militia service of the state who shall hold, or shall within two months have held any office or appointment of profit or trust under the United States, or of this state and city or corporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise a subordinate officer or agent, who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive or Judiciary Department of this State, or of any city, or of any incorporated district, and also, that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the select or common Council of any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district are by law incapable of holding, or exercising at the same time, the office or appointment of Judge, Inspector or Clerk, of any election of this Commonwealth, and that no Inspector, Judge or other officer of such election shall be eligible to be then voted for.

The Inspectors and Judge of the election shall meet at the respective places appointed for holding the election in the district to which they respectively belong, before seven o'clock in the morning, and each of those Inspectors shall appoint one clerk, who shall be a qualified voter of such district.

W. W. BLACK, SHERIFF.

Sheriff's office, Bloomsburg, Pa., Oct. 23, 1899.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Sarah Conner, late of Bloomsburg, deceased.

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans Court of Columbia County, Pa., to distribute balance in hands of the executor, will sit at his office, in the "Sentinel" building, Bloomsburg, Pa., on Saturday November 4, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m., to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all parties interested must appear, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund. T. J. VANDERSLICE,

10-12-4t. Auditor.

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This is about the time of year when the leaves turn in color, and the woods are ablaze with different tints, and yet we have never heard it explained why some leaves take on a reddish hue, and others yellow. American maples, says a writer on the subject, transplanted to English soil, retain the same habit of turning red in autumn, while English oaks brought to this country do not change as our oaks do, but their leaves remain green until frozen and destroyed. The marvels of nature, are indeed many and little enough we know of the why of anything.

Married.

MEARS—MILNES;—On October 11, 1899, in the Methodist Episcopal church of Espy, Pa., by Rev. Henry D. Flanegan, assisted by Rev. Moffett of Scranton, Joseph A. Mears of Scranton, Pa., to Elizabeth B. Milnes of Espy, Pa.

VOTE FOR KRICKBAUM AND FISHER FOR COMMISSIONERS.

—Chief Burgess Dr. P. A. Boyer of Selinsgrove died Sunday evening of tuberculosis. About four months ago Dr. Boyer was stricken with the dread disease, and although he underwent treatment in the hospitals of Philadelphia and afterwards went to the mountains, he received no material benefit.

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STATE NEWS ITEMS.

—Friday afternoon at College Hill, Bethlehem, Mrs. Lydia Rhoads, aged 92 years, widow of the late Dr. E. P. Rhoads, fell into a cistern and was drowned in five feet of water before her son John could rescue her.

—J. King McLanaghan, of Hollidaysburg, and Jones & Laughlan, of Pittsburg, have leased the Moore farm, along Canoe Creek, Blair county, with the purpose of opening a large stone quarry. They will give employment to several hundred men.

—Robert Carter, superintendent of mines of the Delaware and Hudson Company, and a leading Republican in Lackawanna county, fell from a trestle to some tracks below, and received injuries from which he died in a few hours. He stood high in Masonic circles.

—The Cumberland Shirt Manufacturing Company, of New York, will start its factory at Ashland today. The building is a three-story brick structure. Four hundred hands will be employed. The company also intends erecting a box factory and a steam laundry.

—The Montoursville Passenger Railway, running from Williamsport to Starr Island Park, has passed into the hands of a Philadelphia company. The same company assumes control of the Milton, Lewisburg and Watsontown Electric Railway, running from Watsontown to Lewisburg, thirteen miles.

—That part of the State in and about Dunbar is enveloped in a heavy cloud of smoke caused by the mountain fires which have been burning along the slope of the Laurel Ridge since last Saturday. Many of the mountain people are spending sleepless nights, lest the fire steal upon them and destroy their homes. It is reported several sawmills were destroyed Monday night.

—A double frame house owned by the Potter Coal Company in Pittston township, Luzerne county, and tenanted by mine laborers and their families was destroyed by fire Sunday night. All the inmates were asleep when the fire broke out and it was with difficulty that they got out of the burning building. All escaped but Joseph Sorro. He perished in the flames before he could be gotten out.

—Patrick Kane, president of the Bank of Renovo, was found dead in the doorway of his home Friday morning at 6 o'clock by a domestic. A physician, upon examining the body, said life had been extinct two hours. Mr. Kane was 70 years old. He was for many years engaged as contractor in the construction of railroads and was formerly a county commissioner and president of Renovo town Council.

—A company has been organized with a capital stock of $25,000 for the purpose of supplying pure spring water to the towns along the Susquehanna river. A large reservoir is being built on the White Deer Creek, about ten miles west of Milton, from which water will be furnished Watsontown, Milton, Lewisburg and Sunbury. These towns are now using water pumped from the Susquehanna River. Philadelphians are interested in the scheme.

—The body of Cesari Curcici was found in a clump of bushes near Huntingdon late Sunday night. The head was crushed to a pulp, and $150 which Curcici is known to have had with him is missing. A companion is missing, and the police are searching the mountains for him. Curcici was employed with a number of other Italians at a tunnel which the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is driving at Barree, eight miles from Huntingdon. He started out Sunday evening with a friend to hunt chestnuts in the woods. When found his body was still warm. A jagged rock weighing twenty pounds had been used in crushing his skull.

—The farmers in the vicinity of Upland, West Marlborough township, Chester county, will bring suit against a dealer who they say sold hogs afflicted with cholera in that place some time ago, claiming damages for several hundred animals which have since died. Every one of the hogs purchased at the sale have died. The disease spread among the domestic animals, and is still killing many, despite every effort to stay its progress. Among the heaviest losers by the disease are William Cloud, 94 animals; Charles Barnard, 40; the Maules, 90, and at Wharton, Cook, Jere Barnard and other stock farms nearly every hog is dead.

Card of Thanks.

EDITOR COLUMBIAN,
Bloomsburg, Pa.

DEAR SIR:—At a recent meeting our Bible class, No. 9, M. E. Sunday school, resolved, unanimously to extend a vote of thanks through the columns of your valuable paper, to all who by participating in, or patronizing our recent entertainment in the Opera House, helped in a great measure in making it a grand success. Com.

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THE CUP STILL OURS.

Columbia Beats Shamrock In the Final Race.

NEW YORK, Oct. 21.—Through wild and heavy seas in a breeze that approached the dignity of a gale, the gallant sloop Columbia yesterday vanquished the British challenger Shamrock by 6 minutes and 18 seconds actual time and 9 minutes and 24 seconds corrected time, thus completing the series for the American's cup with a magnificent rough weather deel and a glorious Yankee victory. For the eleventh time the attempt of a foreigner to wrest from America the yachting supremacy of the world has failed. The trophy won by the old schooner America 48 years ago is still ours, a monument to the superiority of American seamanship and American naval architecture and a perpetual challenge to the yachtsmen of all nations.

During his stay here Sir Thomas has made himself more popular than any previous challenger, and the yachtsmen of this country will be glad to welcome him back with hospitable hands. Except for the repeated fukes and the unfortunate accident to the challenger on Tuesday this series of races has been unmarred by a single untoward incident. The boats have had two fair and square races, one in light airs and one in a heavy blow, and Sir Thomas is perfectly satisfied that he was beaten by the better boat.

Lipton Will Try Again.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—Sir Thomas Lipton spent yesterday on board his steam yacht Erin. During the greater portion of the morning he was busy with his secretaries, but in the afternoon he took a rest. The owner of the unsuccessful cup hunter talked freely. "I will not challenge for the cup next year," he said in reply to a query. "You see, the time is all too short to design a boat, build her and have her tuned up to concert pitch to race next fall. I will, however, issue a challenge for 1901 and will complete the arrangements for it in a day or two."

Central Stock Increased.

NEW YORK, Oct. 24.—The directors of the New York Central and Hudson River railroad met yesterday morning and authorized an increase of the capital stock of the road from $100,000,000 to $115,000,000, the money to be raised by the sale of the stock to be used in further equipment of the road. The stock will be sold to the shareholders in the corporation at par, each stockholder to be allowed to subscribe for an amount equal to 15 per cent of his former holdings. The new stock will probably be issued about the first of January next. The price of Central in Wall street yesterday touched 140 on dealings in 23,000 shares.

Dewey's New Home.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Admiral Dewey's new home at 1747 Rhode Island avenue is in the heart of the residence section of aristocratic Northwest Washington. Diplomats, cabinet officers, jurists and high army and navy people live all around him. Farragut square is but two blocks distant, and just beyond are the Army and Navy and the Metropolitan clubs. The navy department is not more than ten minutes' walk distant. The house is fully furnished and cost the committee $50,000. It meets the admiral's wishes in every respect. He will move in probably Wednesday.

Bicycle Record Broken.

NEW YORK, Oct. 23.—William H. Brown, who has been endeavoring since Thursday morning to break the 1,000 miles road record, completed his task at 7:05 last night. The ten centuries, which were ridden over a triangular course near Valley Stream, N. Y., were made in about 84 hours, seven hours ahead of the previous record. The rider, being well inside the record time almost from the start of his journey, was able to take considerable rest and finished in good condition.

Money Order Report.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The annual report of the money order system of the postoffice department shows a total issue during the year amounting to $224,958,393, an increase of $20,364,492 over last year. The total earnings of the system, aggregating $1,591,638, show an increase of $395,004.

Wisconsin Forest Fires.

BARABOO, Wis., Oct. 24.—Extensive forest fires are raging south of this city. Large stretches of woods and much fencing have already been consumed, and farm buildings are threatened. Assistance has been asked for from neighboring villages.

Iowa Troops Return.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—The Fifty-first regiment of Iowa volunteers, numbering 764 men and 46 officers, under the command of Colonel J. C. Loper, arrived here yesterday from Manila on the transport Senator. There was no sickness aboard.

Death From Vaccination.

NEWBURG, N. Y., Oct. 25.—After suffering four days from lockjaw brought on by vaccination, Miss Annie Ackels of Brewster died yesterday. She was vaccinated in accordance with the compulsory vaccination law.

Scarlet Fever Epidemic.

WALTHAM, Mass., Oct. 24.—An epidemic of scarlet fever has broken out in this city, and the board of health has ordered the Stearns school closed and fumigated. About 35 cases have been reported.

New York Markets.

FLOUR—State and western firmly held, particularly on low grades, and moderately active; winter patents, $3.60@3.80; winter straights, $3.40@3.50; Minnesota patents, $3.90@4.10; winter extras, $2.55@3.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, ater opening easier with disappointing cables, more than recovered on bullish crop news and an active demand from shorts; December, 75 7-16@76 1-16c.; May, 79 1-16@79⅝c.

RYE—Dull; state, 62@63c.; No. 2 western, 65c., f. o. b., afloat, to arrive.

CORN—No. 2 also opened easy on cable news, but recovered in sympathy with the rise in wheat; December, 39 5-16@39¼c.; May, 38⅝@38¾c.

OATS—No. 2 quiet, but firm; track, white, state, 30@35c.; track, white, western, 32@35c.

PORK—Quiet; mess, $9@9.50; family, $11.75@12.

LARD—Easy; prime western steam, $5.55, nominal.

BUTTER—Quiet; state dairy, 16½@22c.; state creamery, 17@24c.

CHEESE—Quiet; large, white, 12@12¼c.; small, white, 12½c.

EGGS—Quiet; state and Pennsylvania, 20@21c.; western, ungraded, 14@18c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 13-16c. bid; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c. bid; refined firm; crushed, 5 11-16c.; powdered, 5¼c.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 32@36c.

RICE—Quiet; domestic, 4⅝@7¼c.; Japan, 4⅜@5⅝c.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 4⅝c.; country, 4⅜c.

HAY—Dull; shipping, 65@75c.; good to choice, 75@82½c.

Jurors for December

The following jurors have been drawn for December term, beginning Monday, December 4, 1899.

GRAND JURORS.

1 Cromer, J. A., Laborer, Mifflin
2 Cherrington, F. P., gun sm'h, Cat. B.
3 Coleman, Thos. J., far., Fisher's
4 Curran, John, miner, Conyngham
5 Culp, John, farmer, Briarcreek
6 Demott, H. J., retired, Millville
7 Fry, Daniel, farmer, Montour
8 Fornwald, Chas. S. laborer, Bloom
9 Fritz, Aaron M., farmer, Sugarl'f
10 Fowler, Freas, gent, Briarcreek
11 Hess, Charles C., gardener, Scott
12 Hess, Harrison, farmer, Fish'creek
13 Hons, Simon, farmer, Beaver
14 Hendershott, James, clerk, Bloom
15 Klinger, Wm., farmer, Sugarloaf
16 Kline, John L., farmer, Locust
17 Kelchner, Daniel W., far., Briarc'k
18 Mordan, Simeon, lab., Mt. Pleasn't
19 Rarig, Daniel E., farmer, Locust
20 Sharpless, George, mer., Cat. B.
21 Shook, William, boss, Catawissa B.
22 Swayze, Robert, clerk, Berwick
23 VanHouten, Step'n T., mach., Ber.
24 White, John H., far., Mt. Pleasant

PETIT JURORS—FIRST WEEK.

1 Bowman, Robert S., agt., Berwick
2 Creasy, J. Paxton, far., Fish'creek
3 Crawford, Wm., laborer, Hemlock
4 DeMott, Samuel, far., Millville B.
5 Drinker, Francis, gent, Bloom.
6 Dresher, Charles, far., Benton T.
7 Eves, Joseph W., survey., Millville
8 Goulder, Shedrick, far., Sugarloaf
9 Griffiths, Wm., laborer, Centralia
10 Hess, Peter H., laborer, Sugarloaf
11 Hirleman, Jacob, farmer, Jackson
12 Hower, Wm. E., farmer, Franklin
13 Hagenbuch, Henry, far., Jackson
14 Ikeler, George M., far., Mt. Pleasant
15 Kramer, Wm., gent., Bloom.
16 Kieffer, Alfred T., far., Benton T.
17 Kieffer, Jacob E., butcher, Bloom.
18 Kile, Brittain, laborer, Sugarloaf
19 Mather, J. W., farmer, Greenwood
20 Noetling, Chas. B., mer., Beaver
21 Price, Wm., laborer, Conyngham
22 Pensyl, J. K., groceryman, Bloom
23 Rabuck, Philip, farmer, Beaver
24 Reimard, A. S., clerk, Cat. B.
25 Smith, Frank, blacksmith, Berwick
26 Stecker, Raymond C., lab, Hemlock
27 Steadman, Stephen E. far., Sugarl'f
28 Sult, C. W., laborer, Briarcreek
29 Stackhouse, James V., farmer, Pine
30 Trivelpiece, Frank, far., Jackson
31 Turner, Hiram, farmer, Madison
32 Woods, John L., Printer, Bloom.
33 Walter, John, farmer, Montour
34 Wheatley, John, lab., Catawissa B.
35 Yocum, Ambrose, far., Roaringe'k
36 Yorks, W. S., farmer, Jackson

SECOND WEEK.

1 Black, Adam, blacksm'h, Benton B.
2 Crawford, John L., lab., Mt. Pleas.
3 Crawford, Andrew J., far., Ben. T.
4 Campbell, Jas. S., sch'lteach, Fish.
5 Crossley, Howard, miller, Ben. B.
6 Caterall, J. H., boss, Berwick
7 Derr, Calvin, farmer, Jackson
8 Furman, J. Curtis, b'ksm'h, Berwick
9 Faust, William, laborer, Hemlock
10 Gilbert, Emanuel, far., Mt. Pleas.
11 Henry, A. K., farmer, Mifflin
12 Harmon, C. A., laborer, Berwick
13 Hawk, B. A., farmer, Main
14 Hagenbuch, Emory, farmer, Scott
15 Henry, C. R., merchant, Millville
16 Hartzell, Joseph, gent, Main
17 Ivey, Edward, farmer, Hemlock
18 Kelly, Albert, carpenter, Bloom.
19 Keeler, Irwin, laborer, Benton B.
20 Lenahan, D. W., teacher, Cony'm
21 Laubach, John G., farmer, Sugarl'f
22 McHenry, A. B., merchant, Fish.
23 MacGarvey, John, lab., Mt. Pleas.
24 Moore, Frank, farmer, Hemlock
25 Muffley, Samuel, blacksm'h, Scott
26 McHenry, J. Gaylor, mer., Fishc'k
27 Mensch, Wm., farmer, Montour
28 McHenry, Rohr, distiller, Benton T.
29 Nuss, Henry, farmer, Mifflin
30 Redline, John, teacher, Mifflin
31 Robbins, James, farmer, Jackson
32 Ralston, Josiah, merchant, Bloom
33 Snyder, J. W., farmer, Locust
34 Shaw, William, painter, Bloom
35 Williams, L. E., tinner, Orange
36 Wenner, John C., far., Benton T.

The "New Lippincott" Magazine for November, 1899.

The November "New Lippincott" contains a complete novel by Mark Lee Luther, a name destined to take a high and permanent place in American fiction. His novel is entitled "The Livery of Honor," and deals with the capture of Burgoyne and with events in London and Cambridge which surrounded it. Though written long before "Richard Carvel," this rattling tale bears resemblances that are a credit to its quality, and will win it the readers who like the adventure and love in the longer novel. A sweet colonial girl transplanted to the shores of New England shows of what stuff she is made in the perilous situations of those troubled times, when the lives of both father and lover are in constant jeopardy.

Almost a novel in its artistic completeness is "A Landlocked Sailor," by Sarah Orne Jewett, who here shows a new side of her talent in giving the character of as complete and amusing an Irishman as fiction records. He is an old tar who marries a pretty girl and settles down to country life; a situation of which Miss Jewett makes the utmost. This is the first of a series of stories of Irish characters which Miss Jewett has in view, and it possesses all her searching knowledge and lightest humor.

"Miss Melissa's Miracle: A Study in Christian Science," a short story by Ellis Meredith, is a diverting and timely tale of a supposed cure by a fair "healer," an explanation, and a happy sequel. "Out of the Deep," by Frances W. Wharton, is a vivid story of a woman's intuition and a man's salvation. Mrs. Campbell Praed's tale, entitled "Karl Sandeze: A Literary Episode," is bright and amusing; an episode likely to happen to anyone who lives by the pen.

Of admirable papers, skilfully treated, there are the following:

"The November Meteors," by Charles A. Young, Prsfessor of Astronomy in Princeton University; "The Last Victory of 'Old Ironsides,'" the third paper on Great Naval Battles, by George Gibbs; "Old Age Pensions from a Socialist's Stand-Point," by the Hon. John C. Chase, Mayor of Haverhill, Massachusetts; "Bal des Quat,z' Arts," by W. C. Morrow, a spirited description of the annual Students' Fall in Paris, with illustrations by Cucuel, and "An Unwritten Chapter in our Relations with Spain," by Rev. Francis S. Bonton, with an Introduction by Henry Charles Lea, LL. D.

The poetry of the month consists of one of the rare and delicate sonnets of Maurice Francis Egan and a dramatic episode by Grace Duffield Goodwin.

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Trial List For December Term.

Commencing Monday, December 11, 1899.

Emma A. Dick vs. R. F. Crispin, Jr., now to use of Martha L. Ferris.
Ellen Shoemaker vs Joseph W. Fausey.
E. J. Kitchen, use, vs David Savage et al.
The Farmers Mutual Insurance Co., of Middle Pa., now to use of Harry S. Knight, Receiver, vs Bartold Kierhoff.
Same vs Sylvester Heath.
Same vs J. B. Robbins.
Same vs Elijah Peterman.
Charles R. Buckalew and Sophia Miller, Exrs. of Solomon Helwig, dec'd, vs Franklin L. Shuman.
J. G. Swank, G. M. Ikeler and W. H. Utt, vs the County of Columbia.
Lamar Van Syckel vs S. S. Dretsbach.
Uriah V. Brooke vs Christian Small, Jr.
James M. Rhone vs. Charles Gibbons and Philip Gibbons.
Simon Abells' use vs B. J. Doyle et al.
O. B. Mellick vs the Penna. R. R. Co.
Beaver Twp School Dist. vs Nath'l Ney et al.
Wm. Berninger vs the S. H. & W. Ry. Co., and its lessee, the Penna R. R. Co.
George K. Hess vs Albert Klinetob and Wesley Sitler.
Thomas M. Golder vs the Twp of Fishingcr'k.
Theodore Yeager vs W. H. Stebbins, of Wellsboro, Tioga county, Pa.
M. L. Hennessy, Admr. of Clara Hennessy, deceased, vs Fannie Anstock.
The Citizens Building & Loan Association vs Margaret Grady.
Locust Mountain Coal & Iron Co, vs Mary McGuire.
G. W. Sharretts & Co. vs Thomas Seaborne.
W. B. Cole vs Iram Piatt and John Robbins.
B. F. Gardner vs Bloomsburg Car Co.
Eli McHenry vs J. T. Brady.
Mrs. Blanch Sutton vs Eveline Long.
John Barret vs Patrick Bradley.
Allen Buck vs the Twp. of Fishingcreek.
Jackson Shannon vs A. P. Young.
Ralph M. Lashelle vs Margaret Ann Bradley.
George W. Weaver vs J. B. M. Gordner.
W. J. Corell & Co. vs C. E. Whitenight and Sarah Whitenight, his wife.

ARGUMENT LIST.

Catharine Frey vs the S. H. & W. R. R. Co. and the Penna R. R. Co.
Phoebe Croop, Admx. of Rebecca Croop, dec'd, vs Fannie Dreifus et al.
Creasy & Wells vs Wm. Berninger et al.
Estate of Aaron Boone, dec'd.
Benton Yeager vs. Thomas Creber et al.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

COLUMBIA COUNTY: S S.

Among the records and proceedings of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County it is interalia thus contained:

In the matter of distribution of fund arising from Sheriff sale of real estate of Alex Kramer and A. S. Kramer, | No. 278 September Term 1896 and No. 225 February Term 1899. And now Oct. 5, 1899 upon hearing of Rule to show cause, and it appearing that the Sheriff has or would return the said execution process, "that he made the money as required and had the same before the Judges as commanded," the said rule is now discharged and it is ordered that the Sheriff do pay the said money into Court and N. U. Funk Esq., is appointed auditor to distribute the said funds so ordered to be paid into Court, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto. BY THE COURT.

Certified from its records this 5th day of October, 1899.

W. H. HENRIE, Proth'y,
R. R. ZARR, Deputy.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed in the foregoing order of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County to distribute the fund arising from the Sheriff's sale of the real estate of Alexander Kramer and A. S. Kramer, so ordered to be paid into Court, to and among the parties legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the town of Bloomsburg, Pa., on Wednesday the 8th day of November next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where all parties interested are requested to present their claims before him, or be forever after debarred from coming in upon said funds. N. U. FUNK,
10-19 4t. Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ACCOUNT OF WM. GINGLES, SEQUESTRATOR.

The undersigned, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pa., to distribute the fund in the hands of Wm. Gingl , sequestrator of the life estate of A. C. Freas, in certain real estate, will attend, at the law offices of Freeze & Barman, in Bloomsburg, Pa., on Tuesday, November 21, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m., to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all persons must appear, or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund. S. B. KARNS,
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, on the premises, in Centralia, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, NOV. 18, 1899,

at two o'clock p. m., all that certain lot, or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Centralia, county of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwestern corner of Paxton and Laurel streets, thence along said Laurel street south, eighty seven (87) degrees, one hundred and forty (140) feet to an alley; thence along said alley north three (3) degrees, west twenty-five (25) feet to a stake; thence north eighty-seven (87) degrees, east one hundred and forty (140) feet to Paxton street; thence along said Paxton street south three (3) degrees, east twenty-five (25) feet to the point of beginning, and being the lot which is marked in the general plan of said Town of Centralia, with the number twelve (12) in block eighteen (18), whereon is erected a two-and-one-half story

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ALSO,

At the same time and place, all that certain lot, or piece of ground, situate in the Borough of Centralia, county and state aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stake, on the east side of Locust avenue, thence along said avenue north three (3) degrees, west twenty-five (25) feet; thence north eighty-seven (87) degrees, east one hundred and forty (140) feet to an alley; thence along said alley south three (3) degrees east, twenty-five (25) feet south, eighty-seven (87) degrees west, to the place of beginning, whereon is erected a

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE

and store building combined.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of Margaret Murphy, administratrix of C. G. Murphy, deceased, vs. John J. Reilley and Martin Walsh, and to be sold as the property of John J. Reilley.

W. W. BLACK,
IKELER & IKELER, Attys. Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in Bloomsburg, county and state aforesaid, on

SATURDAY, NOV. 18, 1899,

at two o'clock p. m., all that certain lot of ground, situate in Rohrsburg, in the Township of Greenwood, in the County of Columbia and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: On the north by lands of J. K. Berlin, on the east by land of S. Y. Mather, on the south by lands of Jacob Rantz and Methodist parsonage, and on the west by the public road leading from Rohrsburg to Benton, containing

85 PERCHES,

more or less, whereon is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

bank barn and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution, at the suit of J. W. Conner vs. A. S. Kramer and Alex. Kramer, and to be sold as the property of A. S. Kramer and Alex. Kramer.

W. W. BLACK,
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